# The Standard AND RIVER PLATE NEWS.

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## MAUA BANK,
101—103 CALLE CANGALLO

The Offices of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank:—

First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional terms.

Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

Third—Accounts current are opened with Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously convened under conditions established for such class of operations.

Fourth—Money is received in account current bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheques, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred doubloons or one hundred thousand dollars currency in which case forty-eight hours' previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.

Fifth—Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brasils, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.

Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.

The establishment is always open from 10 a.m. till 3 p.m.

P. P. Maua & Co.
M. A. de Freitas Amorim.

January 1st, 1868.

## MAUA BANK,
101–103 CALLE CANGALLO

INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH:

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.
For balances in our favor, .. 12 per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers 6 "
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY
For balances in our favor .. .. 12 per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers 6 "
Deposits on 15 days' notice, paper "
Do. do. do. gold "
Do. 30 days' do. paper
Do. do. do. gold
Fixed deposits from

P. P. Maua & Co.,
M. A. de Freitas Amorim.

Jan. 1, 1868.

## ROYAL MAIL STEAMPACKET COMPANY.

DIRECT AND QUICKEST ROUTE TO EUROPE.

The Royal Mail Steampacket LA PLATA, 2,826 tons, 1,000 horse-power,
Commander A. HOLE,
Will leave this on the 14th of April, at four p.m., carrying Her Majesty's Mails, &c. calling at Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, St. Vincent, and Lisbon.

FARES:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| First-class to Southampton | £35 and upwards | |
| Ditto | Lisbon | 32 Ditto |
| Second-class to Southampton | | £20 |
| Do. | Lisbon | 20 |
| Third-class to Southampton | | 16 |
| Do. | Lisbon | 16 |

Return Tickets, available for Twelve Months, granted at the above Rates, with an abatement of 25 per cent.

A Deduction of ONE-SIXTH made to Families Paying the Higher Rates, when such equal or exceed Four Adult Passages.

Persons desirous of prepaying the cost of Passage, from Europe to this port, of their respective relatives or friends, can make arrangement to that effect, if agreeable to them, at this Agency.

☞ RETURN TICKETS are now Issued to RIO DE JANEIRO, available for SIX Months, with an Abatement of 25 per Cent.

☞ Passengers by this Vessel are requested to embark before FOUR, p.m., on the above-named Day, as the "La Plata" will leave precisely at that hour.

For further particulars, please apply to
ABRAHAM ROBINSON,
Calle Parque 88.
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## THE IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

Established 1803.
CAPITAL:
£1,600,000 STERLING.

The undersigned are duly authorised to transact a General Fire Insurance Business in this country.

The reputation and standing which this Company has secured during the sixty-six years it has transacted Business throughout the world, together with the large and undoubted security which is offered for all its obligations, will, it is hoped, secure for it a share of the public patronage,

The most liberal rates offered, and Losses adjusted without reference to the Head Office.

MANTELS AND PFEIFFER,
Agents,
19—CALLE CHACABUCO—21
176,xp,sept19

## RIVER PLATE TELEGRAPH COMPANY (LIMITED).

Chief Offices:
CALLE LAS PIEDRAS, MONTEVIDEO.
Central Station:
77 CALLE CANGALLO, BUENOS AYRES.

MAIN LINE:
Buenos Ayres, | San José,
Colonia, | Montevideo,
Rosario, B. O.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:
Plaza Constitucion, | Donselaar,
South Barracas, | Ferrari,
Lomas de Zamora, | Jeppener,
Glew, | Altamirano,
San Vicente, | Gándara,
Chascomus.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:
Retiro, | San Isidro,
Belgrano | San Fernando,
Olivos, | Tigre.

MAIN LINE TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, $50 m/c., or $f.2.
For every additional Ten Words, $25 m/c., or $f.1.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, from Central Telegraph Station, 87 Calle Cangallo, to Plaza Constitucion..... $10 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the South Barracas..... $15 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the other Stations on the Line..... $25 m/c.
☞ Half of the Original Rates for every additional Ten Words.

Messages delivered Free within Three Squares from the Plaza Constitucion, and Six Squares from South Barracas, and for every square beyond this distance One Paper Dollar. Special Delivery Rates for other Stations to be fixed upon at the time of receiving for transmission.

The above Rates will be added to the Company's Charges made for Telegrams to or from the Banda Oriental; also to Stations on the Northern Railway.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:
From Buenos Ayres to the Tigre, &c., and vice versa, Ten Words ..... $20 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words..... $10 m/c.
From the Tigre, or other Stations on the Northern Railway, to Montevideo, or Stations in the Banda Oriental, Ten Words ..... $70 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words ..... $35 m/c.

By an arrangement made with the Buenos Ayrean Provincial Government, Telegrams for Rosario, Santa Fe, can be transmitted from any of the Company's Stations in the Banda Oriental, at the following rates—
Ten Words, $2.10 m/c metalico. Every additional Ten Words, $1.20 m/c.

These Messages will be subject to the conditions published by the Provincial Government.

HOURS OF BUSINESS:
Week-Days (including Feast), .. 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sundays, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Messages for Mail Steamers taken on the Morning of the departure of the Mails from Montevideo for Rio and Europe.

By Order
JOHN OLDHAM,
Superintendent and Engineer.

## PAUL FRUGONI,
Sworn Attorney
and
Public Translator,
General Accountant.
15—CALLE VICTORIA—15
(Altos.)
Half a Square from the Plaza.
191,xp,my27

## LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.
CALLE DE LA PIEDAD,
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista.)

Authorised Capital .....£2,000,000 sterling.
Subscribed Capital .....£1,500,000 do.
Reserve Fund Jan. 1868.....£155,000 do.

Current accounts opened with parties properly introduced and interest allowed on credit balances:

Customers have the advantage of drawing cheques—of having approved bills discounted—of obtaining loans upon negotiable securities—of depositing bills, coupons, &c. for collection—and of lodging with the Bank valuable property in the fire proof strong rooms for safe custody.

Deposit Accounts—Deposits received from the public generally—either for fixed periods or subject to thirty days' notice of withdrawal—Interest on which is regulated by the market value of money, the bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the principal daily papers.

Bill of Exchange—issued on the following places—

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|---|---|
| London, | Hamburg, |
| Dublin, | Genoa, |
| Liverpool, | Rio de Janeiro, |
| Paris, | Montevideo, |
| Antwerp, | Rosario & Cordoba. |

All Branches of the National Banks of Scotland
Buenos Ayres, March, 1869.

## London and River Plate Bank (LIMITED)
CALLE DE LA PIEDAD.
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista.)

The rates of interest allowed and charged by the Bank will be as follows, till further notice:

ALLOWED.
On deposits in both currencies in account current, } 5 per cent.
On do., subject to seven days' notice of withdrawal at present, } 6½ "
On do. do. for 90 days fixed, 7 "
On do. do. subject to 30 days notice at withdrawal, at present } 7 "

CHARGED.
For Discounts conventional according to circumstances.
On debit balances in account current in both currencies. } 12 per cent.

G. E. MASCHWITZ—A. E. SMITHERS,
Managers.
Buenos Ayres, April1, 1870.

THE ARGENTINE MARINE INSURANCE CO.,
Established in this City,
Insure at Moderate Premiums all Risks by Sea or on the River.
Office—115 CALLE PIEDAD.
DIRECTORS—
Thomas Armstrong, President.
Jacob Parraviani, Vice-President.
Francisco F. Moreno, Manager.
Ambrosio P. Lezica.
Enrique Tomkinson.
Mariano Casares.
Bernardo Yturraspe.
Eduardo Lumb.

## RIVER PLATE HANDBOOK,

Now ready,
A Cheap Edition of this valuable Work,
FOR THE CAMP,
With the "Rural Code" attached.
PRICE $20 m/c.
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## GENERAL CAMP AGENCY.
JOHN C. ESBENS,
Public Agent and Accountant, &c.
73—CALLE VICTORIA—73

Begs to inform his numerous friends in Town and in the Camp, that he is in a position to give the fullest satisfaction to all who may favor him with their commands.

He undertakes the collection of accounts and the arrangement of same; also the entire management of testamentaria affairs, which he is thoroughly acquainted with.

A quick and honorable despatch may be counted on. Security given if required.

73—VICTORIA—73
155,xp,aug24

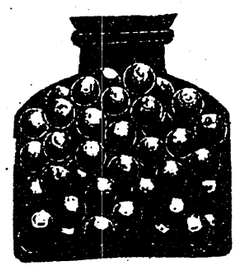
## READY-MADE CLOTHING.
338—RIVADAVIA 338

Mens' Clothing for Summer very cheap, boys' do; mens' dustcoats, $250 each; boys' do, $120; boys' double sole boots, $50 each pair, ladies; do, $50; calfskin slippers, best quality, $50 per pair; gentlemen's woollen singlets, best $35, unbleached cotton hose for men, $60 per dozen, ladies' bleached cotton hose, $60, and many other articles of said branches sold at 25 per cent. cheaper than in any other house in town.

N.B. Ready cash 5 per cent. discount.
B. PARODY.
Buenos Ayres, March 4. 28,xm 1

## LIVER COMPLAINTS

Among civilised mankind there is no complaint so prevalent as the above, late medical statistics showing that fully one-half of nearly all the communities are to a greater or less degree afflicted with it. Under these circumstances, it is highly important that the wonderful curative powers of
BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS.
in Liver Complaint, should be made to the public. They are in this disease, as nearly as can be said of any medical preparation,
A PERFECT SPECIFIC!



PURELY VEGETABLE.

A remedy that is precisely as represented, and one on which the sick and ailing can always depend. Their effect is to tone and strengthen the Liver, to stimulate it in a continuous, natural, and healthy action; to prevent torpidity, to keep the bile from coagulating or becaming thick and sticky, which is always the condition in certain stages of Liver Complaint, being the preliminary to the formation of gall-stones—and the most excruciating pain in their passage through the duct into the bowels.

BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS.

Do not depend upon any mineral or dangerous substance for their acting upon the liver, They are purely vegetable, and entail no evil consequences upon the patient; they do not dry up the natural humidity of the bowels, thereby causing a continual necessity for further purgation, and the ultimate weakening of the entire excretory organs.

PODOPHYLLIN AND LEPTANDRIN.

The active principles of Bristol's Pills are acknowledged by all enlightened physicians to be the surest and safest remedy for every form of hepatic or biliary derangement. No other Pill, of which we have any knowledge, contain these invaluable resinoids. Prepared in our own laboratory, under our personal supervision, they insure the unvarying uniformity of operatio or which Bristol's Pills have become so justly felebrated. But the powerful anti-bilious properties of these Pills are not their only virtue, they are besides a splendid tonic, a thorough yet safe cathartic, a sure cure for indigestion and dyspepsia; safe for the weakest, yet strong enough for the most robust. In short, they are an unfailing
SOURCE OF GOOD HEALTH.

To those who use them, without any of the griping, ripening, or weakening effects produced by the operation of other Pill.

In every case where there is reason to suspect that the blood is impure, or that there is any taint of Scrofula in the system, BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA should be used in conjunction with the Pills, the two medicines being preparde to act in harmony and when used together they ensure a speedy and complete recovery.

For Sale at all the principal Drug Stores.
—dec11

## THE PROVINCIAL BANK OF BUENOS AYRES.

BUSINESS HOURS FROM 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

Deposits of not less than $400 m/c. and $f.16 received. These deposits will not be entitled to interest if retired before the expiration of sixty days from the date of such deposit; after sixty days they will be entitled to interest from the date of the deposit. All interests not collected shall at the end of each year be capitalized. All deposits at interest shall be entered in a book which the Bank will deliver to the depositors, in which all payments of interest and capital shall be entered, and all interest shall be payable after the first of the month or on retiring the deposit.

The Bank discounts bills with two signatures having from seven to ninety days to run; it also discounts mercantile bills of from seven days to six months, on the condition that at maturity they are paid in full.

The Bank draws at sight upon the following branches:—

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|---|---|
| DOLORES, | CHIVILCOY, |
| SAN NICOLAS, | MERCEDES, |
| LOBOS, | BARADERO, |
| SALTO. | AZUL. |

The Bank pays commission to Brokers on the first discounting of bills and promissory notes.

LOANS TO THE WORKING CLASSES.

The Bank lends to artizans and operatives sums from THREE to TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS on their own signature, taking as security a document with any well-known signature

CREDITS IN ACCOUNT CURRENT.

1st. The Bank opens accounts current for commercial houses.

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWS—
private depositors, 5 per cent. per annum m/c.
Do., do, 5 do., do., specie.
To private depositors, in account current, 2 per cent. per annum do.
Do., do., 2 do., do., cur.

CHARGES—
Discounts in currency, 7 per cent. per annum.
Do., specie, 7 do., do.,

E. V. ZAMUDIO,
Secretary.
Buenos Ayres, March 28, 1867.

NOTICE.—Whereas, it having come under my notice that some foolish or evil-disposed parties have deformed the new notes, by cutting or otherwise obliterating the effigy, and thereby rendering falsification more easy, the Public are hereby warned not to accept such Bills, as the Bank will not receive them.

E. V. ZAMUDIO,
Secretary
Buenos Ayres, Oct. 9, 1867. 183 | xp,m28

## LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

CAPITAL, £1,000,000 | INCOME, £110,000.
LONDON.

Insurances against loss or damage by fire may be effected with this Company on Dwelling Houses, Warehouses, Buildings, Merchandize and Goods in the Custom-house, Bonded Stores, and private ones, produce in the Barracas or in Deposit Stores, in the Lighters or on Board, and on nearly every description of produce.

Rates of premium varying according to the nature of the risks, and will be found as modes rate as those of other first-class offices.

Losses by explosion of Gas paid for, Losses by Fire, arising from Lightning, made good.

This Company, in which direction the Lord Mayor of London, the Lord Mayor of Dublin and many of the most influential members of the Corporations of London, Manchester, Liverpool, &c., as well as many Bankers and Merchants of the principal towns of the United Kingdom take part, offers the greatest possible confidence to the assured.

The undersigned General Agent of the London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company, is duly authorised by power of attorney to issue policies and to settle and pay losses in Buenos Ayres with promptitude and liberality, without reference to the chief office in England.

Official registration has been entered in the Registro Publico, in accordance with the existing laws of this Republic.

Apply for insurances and other details, from 11 to 3 daily, No 121 Calle 25 de Mayo, corner of Corrientes, to

CONSTANT SANTA MARIA,
a31 General Agent of the Company

## "THE QUEEN"
## FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000

INCOME, £160,000.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON

Insurances against loss or damage by fire may be effected with this Company on Dwelling Houses, Warehouses, Buildings, Merchandize and Goods in the Custom-house, Bonded Stores, and private ones, Produce in the Barracas or in Deposit Stores, in the Lighters or on Board; and on nearly every description of property.

Rates of premium vary according to the nature of the risks, and will be found as moderate as those of other first-class offices.

Losses by Explosion of Gas paid for. Loses by fire arising from lightning made good.

The advantages obtained by those who assure with the "Queen" are fully mentioned in the prospectuses. Life Policies are indisputable; advances to policy holders, &c. The "Queen" enjoys to so great an extent the confidence and support of the public in England that the Postmaster-General has selected it, for the insurance of the lives of the clerks and other officials.

The undersigned General Agent of the Queen Fire and Life Insurance Company is duly authorized by power of attorney to issue policies and to settle and pay losses in Buenos Ayres with promptitude and liberality, without reference to the chief office in England.

Official registration has been entered in the Registro Publico, in accordance with the existing laws of this Republic.

Apply for Insurances and other details from 11 to 3 daily, No. 121 Calle 25 Mayo, corner of Corrientes, to

CONSTANT SANTA-MARIA,
General Agent of the Company
118 1y—a

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

Old persons and young, rich and poor, children, men and women, and every one who is suffering from indigestion, debility, sickness, or from similar causes, are recommended to read the Almanac, gratis, containing "certificates of the principal Doctors of this City," recommending the use of "Liebig's Extract of Meat"

Prepared by
A. BENITES Y CIA.,
43—Victoria—43
182,dec18

British Consulate, Buenos Ayres,
March 30, 1870.

NOTICE.

WALTER W. HARTE.

Should the above-named, for any one acquainted with his whereabouts, be still in this country, he is requested to call at or communicate his address to this Consulate.

| m31 F. PARISH.

MRS. GEORGE CROWE AFD CRANE FEGAN, ESQ.

Information respecting the above is requested at the Post-office Department, where letters of enquiry have been received from relatives in the United Kingdom.

Buenos Aires, March 28th, 1870.
THE SECRETARY.

## MERCHANT TAILOR
338—RIVADAVIA—338

Just received, from the best European Manufacturers a large and varied assortment of Fancy Clothes, specially adapted to the coming season.

Bartholomew Parody invites the Gentlemen of Buenos Ayres to inspect the above, guaranteeing to all who may favor him quickness, satisfaction and cheapness.

Parties in a hurry to catch the Train can be ted up with taste, at a moment's notice, in the Ready-made Department. 203m24

## WANKLYN & CO.,
108—CALLE SAN MARTIN—108

From 5th February until further Notice, the rates of interest allowed and charged will be as follows:—

Allowed in account current, 6 ○ per an. } On both cur.
" 60 & 90 days fixed 9 ○ " }
" 30 days' notice .. 9 ○ " }
" 7 days' notice .. 7 ○ " }

Charged in Account Current 15 per cent. per an., both currencies.

BILLS DISCOUNTED at conventional rates.

BILLS of EXCHANGE purchased at current rates, and

BILLS of EXCHANGE issued on—
The NATIONAL BANK, London, and all its BRANCHES in IRELAND.
The BRITISH LINEN COMPANY BANK, Edinburgh, and all its BRANCHES in SCOTLAND; or payable in LONDON.
LUMB, WANKLYN, & CO., our London Agents.
MALLET, FRERES, & CIE., PARIS.
GRANET, BROWN, & CIE., GENOA.
VIDAL, QUADRAS, & CIE., BARCELONA.
MENENDEZ & BARCENA, VIGO.
TOMAS DE LA CALZADA, SEVILLE.
AUGUSTO JOSE DE VILA, CORUNNA.
BANCO NAVIA & CO., and LUMB, BROTHERS & CO., MONTEVIDEO.
E. F. DAVISON & CO., NEW YORK.

## WANKLYN AND CO.,

Are authorised to issue the CIRCULAR NOTES of the NATIONAL BANK, London, which are payable on presentation in all the principal Towns of Europe and America. Travellers will find that these Notes form the most eligible mode of carrying money.

LETTERS of CREDIT are issued by WANKLYN & CO., on their London Agents, which are payable in LONDON, PARIS, GENOA, NEW YORK, or by any of the above-mentioned Banks and Firms.

COMMISSION is charged only on amount used.

LETTERS of CREDIT in EUROPE can be obtained by persons desiring to remit or bring money to this country, and which are payable here at the current rate of Exchange (without any charge.)

These Credits can be obtained on application from

The NATIONAL BANK, LONDON, and all its BRANCHES in IRELAND.
The BRITISH LINEN COMPANY BANK, EDINBURGH, and all its Branches in Scotland.
LUMB, WANKLYN, and CO., LONDON
MALLET, FRERES, & CIE., PARIS.

The names of the Branches of the National Bank and the British Linen Company Bank, may be seen at the Office of

WANKLYN AND CO.,
Buenos Ayres, February 5, 1870.
251,xp,a1

## THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

SPLENDID INVESTMENT
FOR THE
CAPITALISATION OF SMALL INCOMES, PENSIONS, RENTS, &c.

GOVERNMENT DELEGATE:
Sr. Don José Maria Cantilo.
COMMITTEE.
Señor Don Victor Martinez.
" " Eduardo T. Mulhall.
" " Francisco Alcobenas.
" " Julio Sanchez.
" " Herman Ebbinghans.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.
OFFICE:
118, CALLE PIEDAD (Upstairs).

POSITION OF THE COMPANY, FEBRUARY 1st, 1870.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL:
Hard Dollars, 3,014,940:64:
No. of Policies,..2,896 | Securities,$f1,315,157:02

It being an admitted fact, that "Money makes money," the object of LA BIENHECHORA could not be better, since it opens a vast Savings Bank for the surplus or savings of the Public, so that, by the proper employment of these small gains, a moderate capital, or even annuity, may be secured in a short time. By this means a provident, though helpless, family can husband their small means, and, in the end, attain a competency.

It being proved that the accumulation of interest is the most powerful means of augmenting the capital, THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA—an Argentine Company, whose only investments are in the country—holds out to Subscribers greater advantages than any other Institution, by reason of all its dealings being in the River Plate, where are current as large interests as in any part of the world.

THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA receives Deposits of from Five Patacones per Annum up to any amount in Weekly, Monthly, or Yearly Instalments.

☞ Subscribers enrolled and all necessary information given at the Head Offices of the Company, 118, Calle Piedad, Buenos Ayres.

## "LA ESTRELLA"

ARGENTINE COMPANY FOR INSURANCE AGAINST FIRE, AT FIXED PREMIUM.

CAPITAL, .... 2,000,000 HARD DOLLARS

(Sanctioned by Decree of National Government, October 24th, 1865. Also by the Provincial Executive, dated 23rd of same Month and Year.)

MANAGING COMMITTEE.
PRESIDENT:
Don Enrique Ochoa.
VICE-PRESIDENT:
Don José Martinez de Hoz.
DIRECTORS:
Señor Don Tomas Armstrong.
" " Eduardo Lumb.
" " Francisco Bustamante.
" " Henry N. Hart.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.
INSPECTOR
Guillermo Schnidber..

The Company Insures against Fire on very small Premiums. Every class of Buildings and Goods, whether private or industrial.

Goods in Customs Deposit may be likewise Insured.

Insurers in this Company contract no other obligation than the payment of the stipulated Premium on the Policies, the Company being only responsible for such injuries as they may suffer from Fire.

Among the general conditions of the Policy, there is one of particular advantage to Mortgage Creditors.

The Company offers the following Rewards:—
$f.40 To the first Hose ready to lend assistance.
$f.20 To the second do. do.
$f.20 To the first pipe of water.
$f.4 To each of the five succeeding pipes
Which run to the Fire of any Edifice or Property Insured in THE ESTRELLA, on making known his choice of the Reward, or a Certificate issued by the Police authorities to such as shall have assisted at the mishap.

The Company will also give a Reward of $f.4 to whoever shall present themselves at their Office, to give Notice of any Fire within the Municipal boundary.

POLICIES Issued, and all further particulars to be had, at the Head Office, No. 118, PIEDAD; or at any of the Country Agents.

MARITIME DEPARTMENT.

By virtue of Decrees of the 2d of April and 9th of June last, of both Provincial and National Governments, and also having been duly registered in the Public Archives, this Company has been authorised to issue Maritime Policies, in accordance with the laws and regulations, in such case made and provided.

For further particulars, apply to the Office of the Company, 118 Piedad, upstairs.

## GERMAN BURMEISTER,
Consignatario de Frutos del Pais,
Wool and Produce Broker,
106—CALLE VENEZUELA—106.

## ARGENTINE BANK.
31, 33, and 35 San Martin.

BANKING HOURS FROM 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M

PRESIDENT:
RICARDO O'SHEA.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
D. ANARCARSIS LANUS.

The rate of interest until further notice will be—
ALLOWS.
On account current, - 7 per cent. per annum
Thirty days' notice (for the present), - - 9 " " "
Ninety days' notice, - " " "
CHARGES
On specie and currency 15 " " "
Money advanced on current account.
Bills and pagares discounted on conventions terms.
SAVINGS' BANK
Open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
On specie and currency 6 per cent. per annum.
MARCO DEL PONT.
Manager.
Buenos Ayres, Feb. 5, 1870 xp,5m

## CAJA DE CREDIT.
21 CALLE PIEDRAS.

Office Hours,—Ten a.m. to Five p.m.
Allowed on Deposits in Account Current:—
Interest paid at the end of each month.
Gold or Paper, .....6 per cent. per annum.
Do., 90 days ..7 do., do.
Do., 6 months..8 do., do.
Do., 12 months 9 do., do.
Money advanced on Hypothetical or Collateral Securities, Transfers, Stocks, &c., on conventional terms, according to the money market.
The Directors reserve the power of refusing objectionable moneys.
P. DE MONTRAVEL, Manager.
Buenos Ayres, August 1, 1869.

## CASH ADVANCED ON PRODUCE,
At Liberal Rates.
HENRY ZIMMERMANN & CO.,
674—Calle Buen Orden—674
25,xp,sept3

JOHN AND HENRY SPRAGGON
Wool Brokers,
59—CALLE PIEDRAS—59
Buenos Ayres.

## DONOVAN AND CO.
Wool and General Produce Brokers,
683—CALLE RIVADAVIA—683.
22 ,12m,a21

## JOHN THOMSON, & CO.
SHIPBROKER,
SURVEYOR AND ADJUSTER OF GENERAL AVERAGES.
OFFICE—20 CALLE LA BAJADO
ROSARIO. 17,xpf6

## THE ALLON,
WOOL AND PRODUCE BROKER,
PLAZA ONCE.
N.B. Daily attendance in the Corrales.
26xp,aug12

## PEYREDIEU Y BRADLEY
Consignatorios de Frutos del Pais,
Wool Brokers.
Office:
259— LLE PERU—259
91—xp,jly28

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# The Standard.

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CICERO.

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1870.


## THE STORM.

IMMENSE LOSSES OF PROPERTY.

The excessive sultriness of the atmosphere on Thursday portended the near approach of a convulsion of the elements, but few were prepared for the terrific storm of the same evening, which has been the most destructive ever known in B. Ayres.

The storm seemed at first to come from the N. W., lighting up the sky with dazzling flashes of electricity, which were soon caught up by heavily charged clouds from the South and West. The scene was the grandest that can be imagined, and such as is never beheld in any part of Europe. The whole firmament seemed to shake with the rattling thunder, and the lightning was almost painful from its gorgeous brilliancy. About half-past 8 the rain began to fall; it came down in torrents. The flood-gates of Heaven seemed loosed. Suddenly it stopped for an interval, about 10 o'clock, and a volley of musketry or rather of small field-pieces was heard, in the shape of a terrific hailstorm which smashed all the windows that looked southward. Some of the hailstones were the size of a pigeon's egg, nay larger, and in 5 minutes it is calculated there were 60 000 panes of glass broken. The alarm caused to women and children was very great, and even cats and dogs ran about the houses terror-stricken. The rain began again, about 10.30, and continued all night, with incessant thunder and lightning: at 3 a.m. a peal of thunder louder than the rest awoke everyone in the city, but before daylight the storm abated, the sky at dawn being dark and lowering.

The greatest destruction to property has been in the Aduana Chica, as many as 6,000 packages are said to have been damaged: the waters of the Tercero rose much higher than on the 9th ult. and burst the 'algibe', added to which the hail broke the windows and the rain came in from above. A meeting was called at the Bolsa of which we shall give an account later on, to consider the steps to be taken by the merchants.

The scene of horror presented by the interior baffles description, It is one immense 'pantano,' with mud up to one's ankles. Going along the passages, between piles of packages, almost at every other step one meets bales burst open and their contents lying on the floor, a disfigured mass soaked through with water and mud. To give an idea of the rush of water that came through we have only to state that a good-sized case, containing stockings, was floated down from the north-western corner of the building to the door, going into Calle Cordova, where the water found an exit by an opening under the iron gate. Almost every pane of glass in the roof is broken, and the worst is that, owing to the storm, the glaziers have been unable to work on the roof and repair the damages against a return of the rain during last night. We must say that Mr. Gondra has, with a 'sang froid' that does him the highest credit, done all in his power to lessen the evil, unmindful that he is by far the heaviest loser; his loss will probably not be less than sixty thousand patacons. The garden in front of the Aduana Chica is a wreck.

The Northern Railway suffered so severely that it had to stop running beyond Belgrano: we learn that the Medrano bridge near White's chacra is carried away. From Barracas we are glad to hear there has been no loss of life. At the Once de Setiembre some new houses have fallen. The houses of Sr. Baudrix at the Retiro had their glass galleries destroyed. as also Sr. Miro's house at the corner of Parque and San Martin. In the South end, Calle Venzuela suffered, also the streets through which the water-course flows: beds, mattrasses, etc., were washed away. It seems there have been some casualities through houses falling in this neighborhood. At the corner of Bolivar and Independencia, where the last storm did no damage the water has destroyed splendid drawing-room furniture, being several feet high.

Several thunder-bolts fell in the city: one struck the Cabildo and knocked off some of the cornice. It will be remembered that in spite of the conductor the tower was struck before some 8 years ago and the letters '*Jus*' effaced by lightning. Another struck the belfry of San Nicolas and gave it a shake. Mr. Ludlam's wall in Calle Defensa, rebuilt last week after the recent storm, has been again knocked down.

The current in Calle Paraguay was so strong that the Recoleta omnibus to start from the Plaza Victoria at 9 p.m. had to wait till 1 a.m. for the waters to subside. At Almagro we learn there is 10 foot of water in some places. At Rivadávia the earthworks of the Northern Railway are washed away and the rails left bare.

In Calle Cordoba and many other parts of the town the floors of houses have given way, especially where old wells occurred underneath. At Calle Corrientes a gentleman was roused in the middle of the night by a man named Lopez with 6 children who had come across the azoteas to beg shelter for the night.

The rain came through most houses and the miseries of the night were greater than ever before known: even the Club Progreso was inundated.

The details of distress and suffering in every part of town are heart-rending. In some streets it would appear as if the city had been bombarded; the windows broken, the side-walks strewn with debris, the houses vacated, the inhabitants without roof or covering. Some families have been so lucky as to find shelter with their friends, but the destruction to furniture has been wide-spread and unprecedented. Owing to the scandalous state of the city devoid of drainage, devoid of everything, Buenos Ayres is to-day in almost as bad a condition as if it had been visited by a terrible conflagration. The Rio Tercero carried destruction in its path: the houses in Calle Paraguay had 3 feet of water, the adjacent, streets being also flooded; and many people spent the whole night baling out water. The storm of the 9th ult. was so dreadful that it inundated houses which had been till then regarded as safe, but the occupants in most cases thought it unnecessary to move flattering themselves that there would not be such another storm for twenty years to come. Little they thought we should have a repetition in twenty days. Three houses in the South end have been swept away bodily, and in one case an Englishman and his family had a narrow escape for their lives Several persons who were out visiting could not get home to their houses, it being impossible for a coach to cross the Tercero: indeed no coachman would attempt it seing the fatal accidents of last month.

MEETING AT THE CLUB.

In consequence of the extraordinary flood during the storm on Thursday night, and the damage done to the merchandize in deposit in the bonded warehouse "Aduana Chica," a meeting was called at the Club yesterday, by the committee of merchants named after the last storm.

The following gentlemen were present:

Messrs. Barbour Barclay and Co., Brownells and Co., Ure M'Kinley and Matthew Forrester of Bates Stokes and Co., Duguid & Co., Bemberg Heimendahl & Co., Bedell of Brownells & Co., Hazeon of Graham Watson and Co., Isaac, Moores of Drabble & Co., Mitchell, Paul Pott & Co., Fels Seyffert, Wedekind Fehr, Kohlstedt, Mallman, M'Kenzie of Proudfoot Hall and Co., Milligan & Williamson, Thompson of Parlane Graham and Co., Glover Darbyshire, Coquetaux, Sohn, Carlisle Smith & Co., Thomson of Kerr Grierson, &c.

Mr. L. J. Isaac was called to the chair, with Mr. Moores as secretary.

Mr. Isaac briefly stated the object of the meeting, recounting the damage done to all goods in the Aduana Chica, and the urgent necessity of at once taking steps to remove the goods. Mr. H. Wyatt Smith, who has had an interview with the Minister and the Custom-house Collector, will tell the meeting the nature of this interview.

Mr. H. Wyatt Smith (representing the former commercial committee) stated that at an early hour this morning he went to the Aduana Chica and took full note of the damage; he saw the goods that were damaged by the flood from the street and by the rain from the roof. He then proceeded to the Custom-house and conferred with the collector, who expressed every anxiety to have the goods at once removed.

Subsequently he waited with the collecter on the Minister and explained to H. E., the real state of affairs; the Minister then requested him to convoke a meeting of merchants, and to obtain full authority for the Government to remove the goods to the bonded stores of Lezica and Lanuz, which H. E., offered as the only place ready to receive the goods, stating that the stores are safer and better located than the Aduana Chica, and that the Government is about to conclude a contract with Messrs, Lezica and Lanuz for 15 years, making the building in question a regular Custom-house deposit belonging not to private parties but to the Government. He, Mr. Smith, in consequence of this interview thought it right and proper that the present meeting should be convened. What the Minister proposes is that all sound goods be at once removed, damaged goods by the flood set apart, as also goods damaged by rain from the roof, each merchant being free to remove his own goods.

Mr. Heimendahl considered that the proposal of the Minister was as good a plan as possible under the circumstances, but he for one insisted on some guarantee, perhaps the Lezica and Lanuz stores might turn out to be the same as the 'Aduana Chica,' this would never do; we want the Government guarantee for our merchandize and we must insist on it.

Mr. H. Wyatt Smith considered that, in the event of the Government concluding the contract of which the Minister spoke, the Government would of course be responsible for all goods deposited therein; about this he apprehended there could be no question.

Mr. Forrester stated that, whatever doubts as to responsibility as to the first storm, there can be none now; the owners of deposit stores must be held responsible; the question really was, whether the owners were able to respond or not. As regards Messrs. Lezica & Lanus, he believed there was no question as to their ability to meet any such claims.

Mr. Glover believed that, whoever collects storage should be the responsible parties. Now, at the stores proposed the Government would collect the storage, consequently the Government must be liable.

Mr. Ure M'Kinlay called on the chairman, who, he understood, was a joint proprietor in the proposed deposits, to explain the matter to the meeting.

Mr. Isaac had no hesitation in stating that, the Government was in treaty for the stores in question on a lease for 15 years; the deposits were well located on high ground, and finished in a most workmanlike manner. He considered that they were not in the least exposed to floods; the Minister, he believed, had to-day sent for Mr. Lanus, so it was probable that the contract will be concluded to-day.

Mr. Ure M'Kinlay—After the experience we have of the Aduana Chica, it certainly seems desirable that henceforward we should only pay storage to the Government, and thus hold the Government guarantee.

Mr. Moores—The case is now very different; in the Aduana Chica we knew that we were ourselves responsible; here the Government asks us to remove goods, and points to the deposit, where to place them, clearly we have the Government guarantee.

Mr. Forrester explained the conveniences attending depositing goods in the Aduana Chica, and many other advantages which the Aduana Chica possessed over the Custom House.

Mr. Coqueteaux regarded all the damage as the effect of 'fuerza mayor'; the waters rose to a height never before known in Buenos Ayres. Now, as regards removing the goods to Lezica and Lanuz' stores, he thought it admitted of no discussion, inasmuch as far as he could learn there were no other stores or deposits to be had.

Mr. Forrester, thought the question of guarantee was every way an open one; true, the Government had paid for damages to goods in the Custom-house, but the damage was caused by neglect, for a window was left open and the rain entered. Now, it is not at all clear that if the river rose and entered at the door that the Government would have been disposed to pay so readily. As to the first damage we suffered at the Aduana Chica, the lawyers all gave it against us, alleging that it was 'fuerza mayor.' As regards the loss now there can be no question as to the responsibility of the owners of it, but were they able to meet such a loss.

Mr. Moores.—As I understand it the Minister himself proposes to us these deposits. Is it not so, Mr. Smith?

Mr. H. Wyatt Smith.—Yes, the collector asked for authority from the owners of the goods to remove them, and he would find the necessary depositis.

Mr. Heimenhahl,—For my part I am satisfied, if, in the new deposits, we have the Government responsibility, but not otherwise—private bonded warehouses we have had too much of them.

Mr. Forrester.—We have these stores offered us by the Government although contract not signed; they are well built and well located. The best plan is to move all the goods there at once. Now, as regards the rumored reduction of duties on the damaged goods, the Minister replied, that there is no ground for such a report; the damaged goods are to be appraised by the 'Vista,' and on that the duties are to be estimated.

Mr, Moore—.The Minister demands that we name a committee with authority to arrange with the Collector for the removal of the goods,

Mr. Forrester—.Thought that the committee ought to be empowered to demand damages, and we should call on the committee to name Dr. Roque Perez to take immediate steps, in fact, not a bale of goods should be touched until first a formal protest is made out: we must do something and at once.

Chairman—.It seems we are drifting from the real object of this meeting, which is simply to name a committee to arrange with the Collector for the removal of the goods to whatever deposits the Government names. Now he would read the resolutions, he understod Mr. Seyfert who was on the former committee is at present sick.

Mr. ——— (of Fels Seyfert), stated that although Mr. S. was sick he would adopt everything done by the Committee.

Mr. Forrester.—Please gentlemen add Mr. Barclay's name to the committee, Mr. Seyfert is very good but he is sick, we want a man who is able to run about and get through heavy work, he believed Mr. Barclay the proper man for this.

The chairman then put the following resolutions which were put and carried and signed in the form of an "acta" to be presented to the Minister:—

Resolution 1.—That a committee be named of merchants to represent the owners of goods in the Aduana Chica, and that the members of the previous committee with the addition of Mr Barclay compose same.

Resolution 2.—That said committee be empowered to arrange with the Collector for the removal of said goods from said deposit in the following manner:—

1. All goods damaged, or not, to be at once removed to the deposit proposed by the Government. Goods damaged by the rain to be marked and placed apart to be revised by the owners.
2. All goods damaged by flood shall be at the disposal of the owners as in the former case.
3. All expenses incurred shall be borne 'pro rata.'

Mr. Hazzan offered some remarks as to the cost attending the removal of the goods.

Mr, Barclay explained.

Mr. Ure Mackinlay proposed that a report of the doings of the committee be printed in a circular, in order to be supplied to all parties concerned.

Mr. Williamson seconded this, which was passed 'nem con.'

Mr. Ure Makinlay proposed and Mr. Heimendahl seconded—That the Committee be authorized to retain a lawyer to draw up protests, etc.

Some discussion here ensued as to the name of the lawyer. Mr. Forrester proposed Don Juan Carlos Gomez, which seemed to meet with general acceptation.

After a vote of thanks to the Chairman the meeting broke up,

## THE LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK.

RETIREMENT OF MR. GREEN.

It was towards the close of the year 1862 that the public of Buenos Ayres had the first intimation through the columns of this paper of the starting of the London, Buenos Ayres and River Plate Bank.

The character of our trade, and the circumstances of the time all seemed to favor the project. Mr. J. H. Green was selected as manager; his qualifications for o responsible a post were of no mean stamp; engaged as he had been for many years previously in our export trade which calls for the shrewdest penetration and endowed with business talents that none can call in question, his success at the head of the bank was never for a moment doubted by those who thoroughly knew him.

In a small back office No. 86 Calle Florida, the London, Buenos Ayres and River Plate Bank first started into existence, without habitation and almost without a name. The first notice of an official character was given to the public by Mr. Green from the office of Messrs. Darbyshire & Co Banking business in Buenos Ayres, was then in its infancy; with the exception of the Maua Bank under the able management of Mr. Leslie, there was no commercial bank in Buenos Ayres, for the Provincial Bank was a close borough, and only the directors and their friends had the 'entrée;' Money was worth from 7 to 24 per cent. according to the will of the lenders, and exchange could fluctuate from 2 to 5 per cent at the will of one or two drawers. National Bonds were then unknown, and the chief and only subject of speculation was gold in the shape of ounces.

It is indeed amusing to turn to the record of those days, but seven short years ago, and note the immense changes that have taken place, It may seem ludicrous, yet the fact stands, that at the beginning of 1863 sovereigns were bought at a discount by tea and sugar retail dealers, and Spalding and Rogers Great Ocean Circus was the absorbing topic of the day. At that period, merchants dealers and brokers were their own bankers, the system of payment by checks was unknown, and it took years to 'level up' commercial habits to the wants and requirements of a rapidly growing trade.

The influence of the River Plate Bank upon our market admits of no discussion; aside from the £250000 stg fresh capital which it introduced, it used a credit abroad of more than double that amount. For the first years it struggled for a mere existence, entering the lists with money dealers whose empire had hitherto been supreme; it failed even to gain the sympathy of the foreign merchants, whose cash balances were only known to their own clerks. Moreover, we think it right to observe that the new manager carried with him to the Bank parlour much of the arroganco of the merchant, which ill becomes a public post.

On the 22nd of January, 1863, the Bank was formally installed in a portion of M. Elortondo's new house in Calle Piedad, the other part of the premises being occupied by Mr. T. Fallon as a retail grocery store, and here Mr. Green first opened his doors to the public. As we write for a public more or less acquainted with the career of this bank, it is unnecessary to go over its varied business transactions. The opening of the Montevidean branch proved far less advantageous than at the time was expected; still it served to extend its transactions, and until the Montevidean banking crisis the branch did well. We advert to the matter merely to show the very high responsibility, which devolved upon the head manager, who, it must be remembered, successfully steered his branch through a sea of wrecks and shoals, amid which older concerns disastrously went down.

During the Mitre administration, the bank succeeded in obtaining a very lucrative business from the Government in the shape of the Custom-house bills, which hitherto had been regarded as a sort of privileged transaction belonging exclusively to the Provincial Bank. This operation, aside from the profits which it secured to the shareholders, brought the bank into a favorable and prominent notice.

The large almaceneros, importing firms and dealers found their bills given to the Custom-house coming back to them from the English Bank. The step was a masterly one on the part of the manager of a new institution, and added tenfold to its business.

During the continuance of the Paraguayan war the manager was on more than one occasion called to exercise all his decision of character to embrace transactions which were in a measure forced upon the Bank, and yet to save the shareholders from heavy losses, all but inevitable, from the nature of the trade and the character of the parties engaged. Much blame and censure has been accorded to the manager for his adroit financing with a well-known contractor; but impartial observers will recognize in Mr Green's acts a sincere and praiseworthy determination to save the interests which he represented, and which were jeopardised by the utter lack of credit and principle of the debtor. Sometimes the Bank met with an occasional 'contretemps.'

As well might a man attempt to walk in the rain and not get wet, as to manage a bank for seven years in Buenos Ayres without making bad debts. Have we not the experiences of all the other banks on either side of the Plate? Have we not the black list in every merchant's office? Have we not in our own limited affairs a long string of debtors? The real wonder is that the Bank has escaped so well.

With a paid up capital of £600,000, with a credit in our exchange market of double that amount, with branches up the country, and paper emission in a sister province, and with a colossal reserve fund of £150,000, the English Bank has risen to a position in the River Plate, if not the first, second to none others. The manager of such an institution must necessarily possess an influence which in every country in the world is invidious, but which in a society limited, as that of the River Plate, must be doubly so.

We cannot, therefore, allow the change in the management of this Bank to take place without special notice. Viewed in any light it is an event of high importance for our commercial community.

It has been our duty on more than one occasion to publish complaints against the management, and even comment upon the same, but now, after the lapse of seven years, when we look back upon the career of the institution, we find a splendid testimony to the financial ability of Mr. J. H. Green in the simple fact that the shareholders have received in dividends no less than EIGHTY-SEVEN AND A-HALF per cent: if to this we add the present premium of eleven pounds per share, which represents *twenty-seven and a-half* per cent, it shows a total gain of *one hundred and fifteen* per cent in seven years, equal to 16½ per cent per annum. Take your verdict, Mr. Green, and the splendid edifice in Calle Reconquista, known as the London & River Plate Bank, will be a lasting monument of your financial administration in the River Plate.

## LAST MOMENTS OF LOPEZ.

We take from one of our colleagues the following interesting episodes communicated by private letter from one of the clerks of the Proveduria who saw everything that occurred.

The position of Lopez was betrayed to General Camara by a Paraguayan comandante who passed over. Lopez was encamped at Cerro Cora with all his troops, composed chiefly of officers, and altogether not exceeding two hundred men. When he was on the point of moving, he was surprised by a strong cavalry division which endeavoured to surround his encampment, whereupon he retreated to a small wood distant about a thousand yards on the banks of the Aquidaban.

He reached this spot accompanied by seven officers, and they halted there, apparently determined to sell their lives dearly. Mrs. Lynch had been placed under his son's charge, and had received orders to run away and save herself. Lopez did not attempt to do so, doubtless for want of horses; the one he was riding was barely able to carry him as far as the small wood, and it seems that his only thought was the safety of Mrs. Lynch and the children, since he gave up to them four mules for the carriage, and young Lopez was well mounted. The small wood was surrounded by Gen. Cámara in person, at the head of 200 men.

Resistance was impossible, and although the Paraguayans wounded 5 Brazilians, they had to succumb to numerical superiority. Lopez, who was lying on the ground wounded, was assisted by Cámara, who called upon him to surrender, offering him his life. Lopez replied that he would not surrender, but was happy to die for his country, when a shot from the group behind Cámara put an end to his existence. As soon as the news of the tyrant's death became known, the Paraguayans began to sack the encampment of their late President; respect and order were banished, and chaos reigned supreme. The Brazilians had received orders to sack the place for two hours. It was currently stated that some of the soldiers hold jewelry worth 6,000 patacons, and most of them display some valuable ornament: it is not to be wondered at if some have been more fortunate than others. The Paraguayan women might have done better than most, but the great privations they had suffered obliged them to turn their attention first of all to the provision store.

The jewels and money found in Lopez' camp are estimated at 2 million dollars (£400,000 sterling). I saw a splendid breastpin sold for £300 to a wide-awake individual who has since been offered £1,200, and a lapidary values it at £1,500: it is studded with large diamonds, and will probably fetch in B. Ayres £2,400 sterling. The camp-followers have made a harvest, some of them giving a glass of 'caña' for a jewel worth £20. In a word the booty was splendid and easy to carry, the distance being only 60 leagues. Most of the treasure was silver money, so that the soldiers in many cases gave the settlers half for conveying it to Concepcion.

Madame Lynch was overtaken about half-a-league off, by a corps of 50 men sent in her pursuit: they ordered young Lopez to surrender, but he declared that he had orders to defend his mother with his life. The Brazilian officer was unwilling to kill a boy of 16, but the youth fought like a lion, shooting two or three with his revolver, and laying about him with his sword. Mrs. Lynch called out to him from the carriage to surrender, but he heeded her not. Then there was a volley of musketry, and Paneho Lopez "the little Colonel" fell riddled with balls. Mrs. Lynch sprang from the coach and embraced the lifeless body of her son. She was, however, ordered to get into the coach again, and then they took her back to the encampment.

On reaching the scene of the last struggle Mrs. Lynch found they had just interred Lopez in a hasty grave, with a scant covering of clay, whereupon she begged to be allowed to exhume the remains and make a larger grave in which both father and son could be buried together. Gen. Camara acceded to the request, and then there was a touching spectacle, of which Camara and his officers were eye-witnesses. Madame Lynch washed the body of Lopez with water that her little children brought her from the stream hard-by: she then dressed the body in clean clothes, and having done the same with the remains of her eldest son, knelt down with her children to say a short prayer and take a last farewell of the deceased. The spectators could not repress their emotion. Two soldiers lowered the bodies into the grave, but the widowed mother would not allow anyone but herself and her children to throw in the earth: she took a spade and the children some pieces of cigar boxes, and in this manner they covered the remains and filled in the grave. They then trod on the earth to level it as much as possible. All through this dreadful task Madame Lynch bore herself with wonderful firmness and energy, for you could only note a tear course down her cheek which seemed to escape against her will; but when she tore herself from the spot and tried to enter the carriage, all her strength gave way and she fainted. Two officers assisted her into the vehicle, and the bye-standers, much as they had before hated Lopez and Mrs. Lynch, were now moved to pity for her condition.

The whole cavalcade set out for Concepcion, except a division of 200 men sent in pursuit of Caballero, who had the vanguard of Lopez, comprising some eighty men, some two leagues distant. It is likely he will escape pursuit, as he knows every inch of the country and is accustomed to a nomade life. The steamer with Madame Lynch aboard arrived yesterday in Asuncion, but she will not land here. It seems she will go to Rio de Janeiro, but no one knows whether she is treated as a prisoner or not; it is probable she is not. People here say that she could have prevented many of the crimes that Lopez committed, but it is very doubtful that a man of such stern nature would allow her to interfere with him. Nobody has anything bad against her: on the contrary, it appears she was exceedingly benevolent all through the war, and there is hardly anyone that has not to thank her for some act of kindness and attention.

## SAN JOSE COLONY.

B. Ayres, March 30, 1870.

To the Editors of the STANDARD.

Gentlemen:

The San Josè colony in Entre Rios is one of the oldest agricultural settlements in this country, having been founded in 1857 by General Urquiza, with a batch of Swiss emigrants who had come out upon a forfeited and worthless contract for the Province of Corrientes. I had never seen the colony before, and felt so much the more interested in visiting it, which I did last week on a trip to Villa Colon.

I was very much struck with the

majestic character of the Uruguay river, the entrance of which is not, like the Parana, divided into several arms by large islands, but quite open to view from one bank to the other, displaying an immense sheet of water. The islands are few and not very large; only further up they increase in number and size, and several places lying on the banks of the river are accessible only by small arms and little steamers who come to take the passengers on board of the larger one. The coast of the B.Oriental is pretty thickly inhabited, and all the towns and villages look very clean and prosperous. The houses are painted in bright colours, and seem to be new; they are all in bricks or stone, and not intermixed with ugly ranchos.

We reached Paysandu during the night, and at sunrise a little steamer took us to Villa Colon, which lies nearly opposite the Entreriano bank of the river. This little town is of very recent foundation, the first houses having been erected in the year 1866. It was intended as a port for the San José colony, and no better point could have been selected for that purpose. It lies on the Uruguay proper and not on a side stream like Concepcion del Uruguay, and there is a curve of the bank forming a very good natural port. A pier is being built, which in future will allow the steamers to unload.

The town of Villa Urquiza has developed itself very rapidly; it consists of from 150 to 200 houses and about 1,000 inhabitants, the greatest part of whom are original colonists of San José who have built houses in town. The houses testify to the prosperity of the owners or builders, for they are all more or less elegant and comfortable. The streets are wide and very straight, there are several hotels and a nice Catholic Church which is also used for school purposes. The latter stands on the future plaza, which is to be called Washington square by order of the Legislative Chambers of Entre Rios, who wished to commemorate on that spot the name of both the discoverer and the liberator of America.

From the port of Villa Colon there is a fine view of the Uruguay river, which runs round a kind of promontory and of the town of Paysandú which is seen at some distance to the South-east, and seems to cover a large space of ground.

The San José Colony begins at about two miles from Villa Colón and extends over three and a half square leagues of land. The country is not flat but very undulated, with short grass looking like turf and very few trees. Firewood, however, is to be found on the banks of the river. The roads are not bad being hardened with gravel, a thing seldom met with in this country.

The colony has a very pleasant appearance; The houses are either brick or stone, and all the farms fenced in with hedges of 'Cina-cina.' In my opinion however, these hedges ought to be much thicker, and not to be left unclipped as they are. The concessions are of sixteen cuadras or 64 acres, but many families received only half a concession or 32 acres. On the whole the colonists have not land enough to carry on agriculture on a suitable footing, and the result is that they seem rather to neglect it altogether. Excepting a few very fine cornfields, I saw very little land ploughed up or under cultivation. The wheat crop of the colony is estimated at from 8 to 10,000 fanegas of 9 arrobas, rather less than one half the crop of Esperanza, which occupies almost the same space of ground (four square leagues) and where the same inconvenience as to insufficient landed property is also very keenly felt.

Generol Urquiza has just bought one square league of land adjoining the colony and is going to sell it in small lots to the colonists; a similar measure ought to have been taken a long time ago, and it is to be hoped that this first step will be followed by others, as it would be hardly sufficient of itself.

The population of the colony amounts to from 340 to 350 families, or about 2500 individuals. They have four schools and one Catholic church, the bells of which have been presented lately to the colony by General Urquiza and his lady. These bells are suspended provisionly to a kind of a wooden gallows, until a tower be erected on the church to receive them.

There are in the colony two windmills working very well, and a large horse power mill. A steam mill has been erected at Villa Colon, and another one at Concepcion del Uruguay. Both will begin to work very soon.

The colonists of San José are limited as to cattle, because they have no pasture ground beyond their own farming lots. They have been obliged to fence in the whole colony with wire in order to keep off the cattle of the neighboring estancieros, which were continually damaging their fields. This is one way of solving the question, but in Santa Fé we affected it just to the contrary, obtaining from the Government a law by which every land settled on by colonists was declared to be 'tierra de pan llevar' (arable ground for wheat,) so that the estancieros had to mind their flocks and herds, or pay damages to the colonists.

Dr. Bastian, the physician of the colony and one of the oldest settlers, has a very fine plantation of fruit trees, but the colonists at large have planted very few trees. They have been discouraged by the ants, which are a very great nuisance in that part of the country, and which, besides destroying trees, do harm also to the other products of the soil.

A great source of income to the colonists is their traffic with the steamers going up and down the river. They sell to them large quantities of eggs, poultry, vegetables, sandias, &c. Tobacco is also cultivated in the colony.

The soil of San José is not all alike and of the same quality over the whole colony as it used to be the case elsewhere. Some parts abound in black loam, others are more sandy or mixed with clay. The result is that one concession may differ essentially from its next neighbour, and that every colonist has to work for himself according to the quality of his land.

The colonists of San José seemed to me to be much quicker and more submissive than those of Santa Fé. This is doubtless to be attributed to the neighbourhood of General Urquiza, whose authority they have been obliged to respect from the beginning. I believe also that they spend much less, living with greater economy, so that even if they realise smaller crops and make less money they may fare better on the whole.

During my visit to San José I had the pleasure of being accompanied by my friend Mr. A. Peyret, the clever and learned director of the colony, whose wise management and great ability have most certainly contributed vastly in bringing about the actual prosperity of this important establishment.

Since the foundation of Villa Colon all the trade of the colony has very naturally taken its way thither, and left aside the town of Concepcion del Uruguay, to which it used to go before. In order to compensate for this loss to the latter place, M. Soneyra, a nephew of General Urquiza, is going to colonize all the subdrbs of the town. These lands, which extend to one or two leagues inward from the river side have been granted to him for that purpose, and they are at present being divided into lots to be offered on sale to immigrants desirous of settling and forming upon them.

A tramway is to be made from Concepcion del Uruguay to the palace of San José, the well-known residence of General Urquiza. On either side of the way His Excellency intends to establish a colony of choice families, to be sent from Europe, and he will probably make the necessary arrangements for it in a short time, The General wishes also to colonize another property of his, called Santa Candida, and situated on the very bank of the Uruguay river, where it forms a large hill, conspicuous from afar.

Let us hope that these prospects will be carried into execution and that all the littoral of both the Uruguay and the Parana may be inhabited and cultivated by European settlers before the end of the present century.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Most truly yours,
C. B. B.

## EDITOR'S TABLE.

A thunderstorm accompanied by a fall of hail stones of extraordinary size broke over the city on Thursday evening at about 9 o'clock p.m., and continued with more or less violence till an early hour yesterday morning. The change in the barometer and suffocating closeness of the atmosphere in the afternoon of Thursday prepared people to expect a storm, but the unprecedented violence with which it came on was not anticipated. About 9 o'clock heavy drops of rain commenced to patter on the pavement and against the windows and in ten minutes more a genuine deluge came down, accompanied by hail stones of such size that all the houses exposed to the South, from whence the wind was blowing, had their windows demolished in a few seconds. The roaring of the thunder was something awful, resembling at times the simultaneous discharge of the broadsides of a whole fleet, and anon the sharp volleys of infantry. The oldest residents state that they cannot remember to have before heard such violent and incessant thunder. The streets were flooded in a very short time and a repetition of the scenes that took place during the late storm was witnessed. The absence of high wind prevented disasters in the port, but in the city much more damage was done than by the late flood. In Calle Chile three rooms of a boarding house kept by Mr. Wey were swept away and a considerable portion of the furniture lost, the inmates providentially escaping with their lives. Every street in town has suffered fearfully from the flood and hail. The inclement nature of the weather yesterday prevented our reporters obtaining full details of the injury done but we hope to give them to-morrow.

The public will learn with great sorrow that no further improvement in the condition of Dr. Reid of the British Hospital is visible; there is but little ground for hoping that he will recover.

At the last meeting of the Municipality there was as usual a good deal of discussion, but little practical result. The ten million loan was discussed, Mr. Tamini observing that the amount was absurdly small and utterly inadequate; the Lord Mayor, in reply, insinuated that the whole hope of the Corporation was in the Provincial Government, and that they had better take what they could get for the moment. The report of the City Engineer recommending some works to provide against a repetition of the catastrophes caused by the late floods was read, but the President said these were amongst the objects which want of funds obliged them to abandon. There was also a discussion on the propriety of rescinding the bye law that obliges the Gas and Tramway Companies to confine their labours to one square at a time when breaking up the streets; a desultory conversation ensued on this most important point, but the House broke up without any resolution being come to.

The census of the province of San Luis shows that there are only 1,784 children attending the public schools there.

Our colleague *La Republica* in a splendid leader, in a late issue, calls attention to the increasing insecurity of life and property in this city, and says: "Let us do what has been done elsewhere when the authorities proved impotent to secure the public safety; let us form bodies of volunteers and patrol the city—hoping for any other remedy is idle. As we form parochial committees to struggle against epidemics, so let us enlist volunteers to fight robbers and assassins, until we rid society of such pests."

A mass meeting has been called in Asuncion to devise means for alleviating by means of a public subscription the horrible distress at present prevailing in Paraguay.

A magnificent organ is at present being constructed for the church of Santo Domingo.

The authorities at Dolores used most praiseworthy vigilance in pursuing the mulatto who lately murdered and violated a poor widow in that locality The police came up with him at a small village called Armonius, and had a desperate struggle to effect his capture, two of their number being seriously wounded. The assassin, Manuel Gomez by name, was wounded in the abdomen in the fray, and died within 24 hours. Justice is therefore satisfied in this truly horrible case.

Mr. Holtzweissig, of 91 Calle San Martin, has produced a most faithful and excellent photographic likeness of the late Rev. J. C. Ford, which he has now on sale at his studio, nearly opposite the STANDARD office. All Englishmen here must be anxious to possess such a memento of a man, who as a Christian, a clergyman, and an Englishman was indeed a noble specimen of his race.

Dr. Edward Wilde, who lately obtained his diploma with such brilliant distinction, has taken a house in Calle Belgrano No. 234.

At the late meeting of the Flores Road Co., whose important and much needed work is now three parts finished, it transpired that the works must be suspended if the Government do not at once allow the Company to levy toll as agreed in the contract. We cannot understand the hesitation of the Government in this respect; it is most injurious, and may prove fatal to the company.

On Wednesday the rooms of Mons. Lucien, an artist of the Alcazar were entered by burglars and 60,000 dollars worth of jewellry carried off, Thanks to the activity of the police the greater part of the stolen property was recovered. Mons. Lucien however, loses $18,000 dollars.

The Gironde did not leave on Thursday her departure being postponed at the last moment; she left yesterday afternoon.

News from Montevideo leads to the supposition that the so called invasion is said to be gaining ground. Maximo Perez is flying before Aparicio.

A new library has been opened at No. 134 Calle Florida styled 'La Libreria Europea.' In this establishment all the latest English standard works can be had at moderate prices, and the proprietors have spared no expense to merit that share of public patronage which we expect they will obtain.

It has rained so heavily in Rosario within the last week that a complete stop has been put to the retail trade of the place; half the streets in the town are impassable.

There was an unusual absence of news of any kind yesterday. The city wore throughout the day a sombre and gloomy aspect, and very little business was done in any quarter. Many business men living in the suburbs found it impossible to get into town in consequence of the state of the roads through the rain storm of Thursday night.

Madame Phillipe, late of the French Theatre, is trying to get another dramatic company together to perform in that place.

The losses at the Aduana Chica on Thursday night were much worse than those caused by the last storm; the whole place was flooded.

The Progreso Club now counts the full number of members, 500, allowed by its rules: the Committee are about to bring forward a proposal that an additional number shall be admitted.

A Sr. Dominguez, native of Huanchinango in Mexico, has invented a glass piano which is said to be superior in tone to any yet made; the price of this instrument is only one hundred hard dollars.

The Hipparchus arrived in port yesterday, and the passengers landed at one o'clock.

Mr. Simon Camancho has called to leave us his 'carte d'adieu.' Mr. C-'s visit to Buenos Ayres will always be remarkable, because of his petition to the Governor for establishing the North American wood pavement in our metropolis. Even without the fulfilment of his desire, thanks are due to the man who has tried to deliver us from the 'via crucis' of the streets of this city, as he has called them.

## ON 'CHANGE.

April 1, 1870.

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| Ounces, | 400 |
| Sovereigns | 122½ |
| Patacons | 25 |
| Nat. Bonds | |

No sales in bonds to-day, all the holders went to the Governmet house to collect the quarterly coupons. The attendance on 'Change was very thin, the principal merchants being at the meeting in the Foreign Club, with referenc to the inundation of the Aduana Chica.

Everybody compared notes with his neigbor about the storm, which was admitted by all to have been the most destructive ever known here, Happily there has been little or no loss of life.

Nothing doing in the Plazas, owing to the weather. The barracas have luckily escaped unhurt, and no wool is damaged.

Much surprise was felt that no telegram had come with the news for Galileo, arrived in Montevideo; she brings 10 days later from England, and is ordered to suffer 12 days quarantine.

## ARRIVALS.

1.

English steamer Hipparchus from Liverpool to John P. Boyd & Co.

## TEMPERATURE.

April 1—Friday 2 p m.
Fahrenheit..... 76.


STEAM BOATS TO LEAVE.

For Colonia, the British Steamer NAPOSTA every Wednesday and Saturday, at 10 a.m.
Agents: Luis Maclean and Co, Paseo de Julio 35.

To-day—For Montevideo, at six p m., the steamer Rio Uruguay.
To-morrow—San Nicolas and Rosario, only cargo, the steamer Espigador.
To-morrow—For San Nicolas, Rosario, and intermediate ports, at 9½ a.m. from the Retiro Prices reduced, the steamer Lujan.
Agents— MATTI and PIERA, Cangallo 30

Every THURSDAY for MONTEVIDEO, at 5 p.m., the British steampacket SATURNO.
Every SUNDAY for SALTO and intermediate days, at ten a.m., the British steampacket SATURNO.
MENSAGERIAS FLUVIALES, Reconquista 99.

MONDAY, for San Nicolas, Rosario, Paran and Santa Fe, touching at all the intermediate ports, the fast and commodious National Steampacket Comercio del Rosario, with reduction in prices and Railway ticket gratis, the train eaving the 25 de Mayo Station at 9.50 a.m.
Agents—M. Scuriano and Son, Cuyo 34½, and M. Hornet and Co. 2 Calle Victoria.

FOR BAHIA BLANCA, the National steamer Zumaeca Naposta. Receives cargo and passengers.
For further information, apply at the Agency Manuel Scuriano and Son, 34½ Cuyo.

SALIDA DE VAPORES.

PARA EL SALTO y ESCALAS—Hoy á las 10 de la Mañana el vapor Villa del Salto.
PARA MONTEVIDEO—El Lunes á las 5 de la tarde el Rio de la Plata.
PARA BAHIA BLANCA y PATAGONES, el Vapor Patagones saldra el 5 de Abril.
Recibi carga y pasageros.
La carga á 6 patacones tonelada.
NOTA—El vapor Villa del Salto recibi pasageros para Guabiyu.
Agentes—
ESTEVAN D. RISSO y Hno.
Reconquista 99½.

THE LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK,
(LIMITED.)

The Board of Directors hereby give Notice, that on the 31st of March, 1870, Mr. John Henry Green retires from the Management of the Buenos Ayres Branch, and that from that date his power of Attorney ceases.
The Board of Directors further give Notice, that the business of the Branch of the said Bank in Buenos Ayres, from such date, will be carried on by
Mr. ARTHUR EDWARD SMITHERS, and Mr. GEO. EDWARD MASCHEWITZ, Who are empowered to sign jointly, or severally, and in whose favor Powers of Attorney have been granted, and duly registered in the Tribunal of Commerce.
Buenos Ayres, 31st March 1870.
p,m31

FOR SALE, IN MACIEL, SAN SALVADOR,
BANDA ORIENTAL,
One Suerte of first-class Camp.
It is well-watered, has dwelling-house, out-offices, corrales, &c., and three puestos in camps all in excellent order.
On the same camp are 4,500 sheep, of improved quality, including 45 to 50 well-bred Rams.
This Property is withiu 1½ days' journey, by diligence, from Montevideo, which conveyance passes within a league of the house
The titles are indispensable, the Camp having been judicially measured.
This Property will be sold a bargain, as the Proprietor requires to return to England.
Apply to F. L. Ellis, Barraca de Jackson, Montevideo. 324,3p.a1

C. TURMEAU AND CO.
FAMILY GROCERS, WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS,
Have just received a large and varied assortment of
CROSS AND BLACKWELL'S
Potted Meats, Soups, and other delicacies suitable for
INVALIDS.
Fine Old Bottled Ports,
Gold, Amber, and Brown Sherries,
The best Imported.
MARTELL'S and HENNESSY'S
Fine Old
COGNAC BRANDIES.
SWAINE, BOORD, and BECKWITH'S
LONDON GIN,
The dew of Ben Nevis.
OLD JAMAICA RUM,
"GOLDEN GROVE,"
Seven years in Bond.
Every other description of Wines, Spirits, Groceries, and Provisions, at prices considerably under any other House in the Trade.
C. TURMEAU and CO.,
2:—CALLE SAN MARTIN—22
(Alongside the Foreign Club.)
162,1m,jan18

English Drapery Establishment.
(CORNER OF DEFENSA AND POTOSI.)
J. R. MURDOCH and CO.,
(Successor to Alex. Fulton and Co.)
Are now showing a select assortment of Goods, suitable for the coming Season, which they have just received DIRECT, and they would invite the special attention of their Customers and the Public, to the Bargains which are to be had in

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| REPPS, SERGES, POPLINS, MERINOES, | SATANETTES, WINCEYS, | TARTANS, HOSIERY, PRINTS, MUSLINS. |

Shirtings, Bed Ticking, Flannels, Blankets, Sheetings, Handkerchiefs, Table Linen, Toilet Covers, Trimmings, Knitting Wools.
SOAPS—PERFUMERY.
All Classes of Under Shirts for Gentlemen. Dress Shirts, Crimean and Tweed Shirts.
COLLARS—SCARFS—TIES.
Gents' real Witney Jackets, Bedford, Windsor Cord, Corduroy, Moleskin and Tweeds, in piece and made up.
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NELSON CLUB.
A General Meeting of the members of the above named Club, will be convened for Tuesday night the 5th prox. 8.30 p.m.
By order.
1,6p,a1.

JOHN FORREST,
Custom House, Camp, and General Commission Agent,
No. 168 CALLE PIEDAD.
142,1m,m17

DR. V. CONYNGHAM, M.D.
Edin., &c., &c.,
Has REMOVED to
167—CALLE CANGALLO—167
Alongside the Hotel de Roma.
—m6

FOR SALE,
THE CAFE RESTAURANT and BILLARD ROOM, No. 31 PASEO JULIO, with Contract.
The whole will be sold a bargain, as the owner is leaving the country. 199,15p,m29

THOMAS HOLMES AND CO.,
Are now showing, in their new and Commodious Premises,
139——CALLE FLORIDA——139
The earliest Novelties of the Season,
IN ENGLISH, SCOTCH, AND FRENCH MANUFACTURES,
Which are being regularly received.
Superior Black Silks,
French and English Dress Goods;
Parasols and Sunshades,
French and English Prints,
Quite unequalled in style and quality.
Lace Shawls and Rotondos,
Ladies and Childrens' Hosiery,
And Under Clothing,
Baby Linen, &c.,
Napery,
Firstclass Sheffield Scissors and Knives,
Scotch Clan Tartan Goods,
Perfumery,
Ladies and Childrens' Dress Boots and Shoes,
&c., &c.
ENGLISH EMPORIUM,
139—CALLE FLORIDA—139

NOTICE.
IN consequence of insufficient accommodation in my Store, I have adopted the system of Selling Off from time to time, at greatly reduced prices, and till the 1st of April next I offer Goods as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mens' English-made Cloth Suits for Autumn .. | $300 | formerly | 400 |
| Winter wear .. .. | 380 | ,, | 450 |
| Mens' fine Cloth Black Suits with choice of Silk, lined Sertout Coat, or other style | 580 | ,, | 600 |
| Boys' Cloth Suits, ages 4 to 6 | 70 | ,, | 100 |
| Do. do. Superior, 4 to 8 | 150 | ,, | 180 |
| Do. do. English, 12 to 16 | 200 | ,, | 250 |
| English-made Boots .. | 60 | ,, | 100 |
| Cloth Trousers & Waistcoat, good quality .. .. | 150 | ,, | 200 |
| Mens' Black Silk Neckties, the ½ dozen .. .. | 20 | ,, | 30 |

MAKING UP TO ORDER.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Extra fine Black Cloth Trousers .. .. | 130 | ,, | 160 |
| Do. do with waistcoat | 230 | | |
| Best quality Angola Trousers | 150 | ,, | 160 |
| Do do with Waistcoat .. | 230 | | |
| Bedford Cord Trousers .. | 160 | ,, | 180 |

Sheets, Pillow Cases, Crimean Shirts, Flannel Under Shirts and Drawers. These are making by hand, and not machinery stitched.
Crimean Shirts of all kinds and sizes, some up to 18 inches in neck, and 7 feet 6 inches from wrist to wrist, suited for big men.
REDUCED PRICES
In Socks, Collars, White Trousers, and Waistcoats, Shirts with or without Collars, Under Clothing of all kinds, Cravats, Waterproof Overcoats and Leggings, Umbrellas, Walking Sticks, Jouvins, and other Kid Gloves.
CHARLES J. FLOWER,
40½——Calle San Martin——40½
186,15p,m19

MR. HENRY BORLAND.
A valuable parcel at this office, per R. M. S. ONEIDA.

GEORGE BAKER,
GROCER, SHIPCHANDLER,
AND
GENERAL DEALER,
44 and 46 CALLE ADUANA,
ROSARIO.
242.3md23

JUST RECEIVED,
AT THE
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT,
29—CALLE DEFENSA—29
An Assortment of Winter Goods, consisting of heavy camp coats, trousers, shirts, stockings, hats boots, cuts of trousers, blankets, shooting, calicoes, flannels, ticking; also ladies and childrens' boots of different qualities; Scotch tartans, silks, merinos and alpacas.
English iron bedsteads, chairs, foot pales and water pans, &c., in sets, carpetings, oil cloth and travelling bags of various sizes.
Ladies, gentlemen and childrens' English saddles, bridles, whips, switches, &c.
Also electro-plated tea sets, tea urns, cruet stands, trays; papier maché trays in sets; ivory handled knives and forks, &c., and a number of other articles too numerous to mention.
138,1m,m19

REDUCTION IN FARES.
LIVERPOOL, BRAZIL, AND RIVER PLATE MAIL STEAMERS.
ADDITIONAL MAIL SERVICE TO BRAZIL AND GREAT BRITAIN.

| Ships. | Tons | Ships | Tons |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kepler..... | 1,493 | Flamsteed .... | 1,276 |
| Galileo..... | 1,525 | Copernicus .... | 1,397 |
| Newton ..... | 1,071 | Laplace ..... | 1,194 |
| Ptolomy ..... | 1,115 | Donati ..... | 1,182 |
| Halley ..... | 1,374 | Tycho Brahe .. | 1,848 |
| Humboldt ... | 1,346 | Hipparchus.... | 1,840 |
| Saladin..... | 510 | La Plata ..... | 1,194 |
| Pascal [new] .. | 1,876 | | |

Biela, Olbers (building.)

The Postmaster-General of Her Majesty's Government has concluded a contract with the Liverpool, Brazil, and River Plate Steam Navigation Company, Limited (Messrs. Lamport and Holt's Line), for a second regular Mail in each month by British Packet to Brazil and England.
The new Mail Steamers will leave Buenos Ayres on the 9th of each month, and are intended to proceed to Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, and Bahia, and thence to Southampton and Liverpool.
The Service is so timed as to afford opportunity for letters received in England by the New Line, to be answered by the outward-bound Mail Steamer of the same Line, which leaves Liverpool on the 20th of each month (unless that be Monday, and then on the 21st.)
Neither consignees' despatches, nor letters of any kind can be received by us for conveyance by the Mail Steamer of the 9th.
Due Notice, respecting the posting of Letters, will be issued by the Post-office authorities.
The S.S. HIPPARCHUS,
— Tons Register,
Captain MARKWELL,
Will be despatched for
LIVERPOOL,
On SATURDAY,
The 9th of APRIL,
Cargo will be received on Board until Noon on the day of sailing.
Parcels and Specie at the Office of the Undersigned until ONE p.m. of said day.
Freight on Specie—One-half per Cent.
These Steamers have excellent accomodation for Passengers, and carry Surgeons and Stewardesses.
REDUCTION IN RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.
First-class to Liverpool .... £ 35 sterling
The usual allowance made to families.
Steerage passages: One-half.
FIRST-CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for TWELVE MONTHS, issued to all parts on favorable terms.
Apply to the Agents.
Messrs. DARBYSHIRE, KRABBE, and CO.; or the Brokers,
JOHN P. BOYD and CO.,
San Martin 56.
235,m27

VAPOR AMERICA
A causa de la cuarentena en Montevideo, este vapor suspende su salida del Sabado, debiendo efectuarla el Martes 5 de Abril.
Los Agentes.
5e m31

LIVERPOOL, BRAZIL, AND RIVER PLATE MAIL STEAMERS.

| Ships. | Tons. | Ships. | Tons |
|---|---|---|---|
| KEPLER, ..... | 1,499 | MEMNON ... | 1,209 |
| GALILEO, ..... | 1,525 | FLAMSTEED, .... | 1,376 |
| NEWTON, ..... | 1,074 | COPERNICUS, .. | 1,397 |
| PTOLEMY, ..... | 1,115 | LAPLACE, ..... | 1,194 |
| HALLEY, ..... | 1,347 | DONATI, ..... | 1,182 |
| HUMBOLDT, .... | 1,346 | TYCHO BRAHE, | 1,848 |
| LA PLATA .... | 1,393 | HIPPARCHUS, .. | 1,840 |
| URUGUAY..... | 1,361 | PASCAL ..... | 1,876 |
| CASSINI,..... | 836 | BIELA (building) | 2,168 |
| SALADIN,..... | 510 | OLBERS do. | 2,168 |
| TALISMAN..... | 738 | | |

The ss. CASSINI,
836 Tons,
JOHNSON Commander,
After discharging her cargo at Montevideo and this port will proceed to
ROSARIO
And there load for
ANTWERP AND LIVERPOOL;
Calling at
SAN NICOLAS, BUENOS AYRES, and MONTEVIDEO.
Loading here in the early part of April.
Cargo will be received on board until Two p.m. on the day of sailing. Parcels and specie at same hour at the office of the undersigned.
The ss. GALILEO,
1525 Tons,
LEE Commander,
will be dispatched from this on or about the 15th of APRIL,
(destination not fixed).
These steamers have excellent accommodation for Passengers, and carry Surgeon and Stewardess.
RATES OF PASSAGE,
From Buenos Ayres to Liverpool £35 0 0
From Rosario to Liverpool . . £37 10 0
From Buenos Ayres to Antwerp £35 0 0
From Rosario to Antwerp . . £37 10 0
The usual allowance made to Families.
Steerage passages one-half.
FIRST-CLASS RETURN TICKETS, with a deduction of 25 per Cent., available for Twelve Months
Tickets granted here to parties wishing to bring out their friends.
Apply to
H. A. GREEN & CO., Agents;
Or to
GREEN, LE ROSSIGNOL & CO., Brokers,
85 Reconquista.
Or to
JOHN THOMPSON AND CO., Brokers, in Rosario.
240,25p,m20

A LAS ARMAS DE PRUSIA.
SASTRERIA
DE
HONORIO GORGE,
Antiguo Cortador de la Casa LOHNER
16—CALLE FLORIDA—16,
Buenos Ayres.
3:0,1m,m,30.

THE LATEST YET.
Despatched and opened yesterday, and on Sale to-day at
LOEDEL'S.
Ten Cases of SHERWOOD'S CELEBRATED WIRE GOODS,
Comprising Elegant Castors, with beautiful Cut Glass Bottles,
Handsome Breakfast Castors.
Magnificent Fruit Baskets.
Hanging Baskets
Tea and Coffee Balls; the greatest economisers of Coffee Extant.
Tea and Coffee Stands, round and oval.
In fact, a splendid assortment of the above Goods. An entirely new article, never before introduced into this country. Elegant designs equal in appearance and durability to the best silver-plated, and at one quarter the price.
Please call and examine at once before the best lots are sold.
LOEDEL'S,
75—Calle San Martin—75
297,5p,m29

THE ELECTRO-PLATED TEA AND COFFEE SERVICE,
$350,
ENGLISH BAZAAR,
61——CALLE FLORIDA——61
Extra fine and medium quality Glassware, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
Breakfast, Dinner, and Dessert Services, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
Toilet Sets and Lavatories, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
Cleaver's famous Soaps and Atkinson's Perfumes, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
The Australian renowned Camp Kitchen, for Estancieros, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
Presents of every description, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
Iron Safes and Brass Bedsteads, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
For the Homeward-bound, the Deck Arm-chair, $200, at the English Bazaar, 61 Florida.
COHEN and JOSEPH,
General Importers—Wholesale and Retail,
61—CALLE FLORIDA—61
61,xp,feb8

CITY OF BUENOS AYRES TRAMWAY COMPANY,
[LIMITED.]
Contractors for laying the permanent way, are hereby notified that no Tenders will be received after Four o'Clock p.m., on the 1st day of APRIL 1870.
Company's Office, 129 Piedad,
Room No. 1. 314,2p,m31

LA COMPANIA ARGENTINA
DE
SEGUROS MARITIMOS.
Ha trasladado sus oficinas á la Calle de Florida, No. 112½, 1 E piso alto.
TOMAS ARMSTRONG,
Presidente de la Direccion.
F. F. MORENO,
Gerente.
LA BIEN HECHORA DEL PLATA.
Ha trasladado sus oficinas á la Calle de la Florida, No. 112½, 1 E piso alto.
MARIANO MIRO,
Presidente de la Junta Directiva.
F. F. MORENO,
Director General.
LA ESTRELLA,
COMPANIA DE SEGUROS CONTRA INCENDIO.
Ha trasladado sus oficina á la Calle de la Florida, No. 112½, 1 E piso alto.
ENRIQUE OCHOA,
Presidente del consejo de Adminis.
F. F. MORENO,
Director General.
EL CREDITO MOBILIARIO DE LA PLATA.
Ha trasladado sus oficinas á la Calle de la Florida, No. 112½, 1 E piso alto.
MARIANO CASARES,
Director General.
F. F. MORENO,
311,8p,m31 Sub Director.

MR. ALBERT PHILLIPS
BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public, that owing to the lamented demise of the Rev. J. C. Ford, his Benefit Performance at the Victoria Theatre, on Friday, 1st proximo, will be suspended until further notice. 318,3p,m31

TO BE SOLD,
A NICE COFFEE AND RESTAURANT BUSINESS,
Situated in Calle Victoria. The Sale is on account of the Owner having a better Business to attend to. Credit given to honest people. For further particulars inquire at Mr. Wendt, No. 89 Calle Tucuman. 315,6p,m31
AVISO—El Directorio de la Nueva Compañia Saltenia de navegacion a vapor, invita a los Sres. accionistas a la reunion general para la eleccion del nuevo Directorio que tendrá lugar el Domingo 25 de Abril proximo en la Agencia General a las doce del dia.
Los accionistas que no puedan presentarse, pueden hacerlo por cartas poderes.
Salto, 24 de Marzo de 1870.
José M. Guerra—Presidente.
5e m31 Candido Blanco—Secretario,

—XL—
The New Firm of
C. H. BROWN AND CO.,
Successors of
Messrs. PHILLIPS and WATSON,
Having chosen the above as their motto in the management of the
MINERAL WATER ESTABLISHMENT,
Are determined to introduce a new feature—a step in the right direction—AND DECIDEDLY A DESIDERATUM IN BUENOS AYRES, viz., a well stocked Larder and well regulated
LUNCHEON TABLE,
AT
MODERATE PRICES.
The encouragement they have already received since the trial of this scheme, has decided them in perfecting this department of their Establishment, and the Institution of LUNCHEONS henceforth from ONE to FOUR O'CLOCK.
THE ICED SODA FOUNTAIN IN FULL PLAY,
SMASHES, SLINGS, AND COCKTAILS,
Of every shade.
MINERAL WATER ESTABLISHMENT,
32—Calle San Martin—32
326,xp,a1

MONTEVIDEO.
NOTICE TO ALL CAPTAINS OF MERCHANTS VESSELS.
John. Lawes Agent and correspondent for the association for protection of wrecked and damaged property. Offices at Lloyd's, according to Charter docs hereby make Ship Masters of British Vessels and also of all other Nations aware of:—That Surveys subscribed by incompetent persons will not be accepted by the respective Underwriters.
Shipmasters arriving in this Port in distress, or under occasional repairs of damage sustained in this Port, are very often mislead by parties completely ignorant, who style themselves Shipwrights and are not.
Consequently Shipmasters in general ought to apply to their respective Consul, or ther Commercial Agents to have parties appointed as Surveyors who have the aptitude to act as such.
Undertakers, Joiners, Cabinet Makers or any Persons who are not practicle Shipwrits, are not accepted by the Underwriters as legal Surveyors on a Ship.
JOHN LAWES.
Agent and Correspondent for the Association of wrecked and damaged property, Offices at Lloyd's, and Authorized Surveyors and Valuator for the Hamburg Insurance Company.
301,xp,m29.

TO PARENTS.
YOU will do well to bear in mind that the Boys' Cloth Suits I am now offering at $200 m|c, have realised as high as $215 m|c each, in our Auction Rooms. That they are strong English make for Boys from 12 to 15 years of age, and that after the 1st of April shall certainly not sell the same under $250. Sizes, from three up to seven years, $140.
N.B. From eight up to eleven years all sold. This is to save disappointment.
40½—CALLE SAN MARTIN—40½
268,6p,m27
A SPLENDID CAMP FOR SALE, in the Partido of the 9 de Julio,
[Distant from this City only 54 Leagues.]
The Land is four square leagues. It is joining the ejido of the village, which makes it more convenient for any person who wishes to invest in this business. It is also surrounded by a number of English persons.
The Camp has splendid hills, intersected with beautiful cañadas. The Grass is a splendid mixture of gramilla, cebadilla, trevol de olor, carretilla, and some strong grass: the hills have a little more of the last-mentioned.
There is a house, potrero, jagueles, &c.
For further information respecting the above apply at No. 352 Calle Corrientes, from Five to Seven o'Clock in the Evening, and in the morning until Ten o'Clock.
The Land will be sold very cheap.
320,10p,m31

TO LET,
A NEAT STORE, on the Street, in Calle San Martin, alongside the Bolsa. Also Four fine roomy Offices, suitable for a Banking Broker or Exporter.
Apply at the STANDARD Office.

OFFICES TO LET.
TO LET, FOUR OFFICES, alongside the Bolsa, Nos. 114—118 CALLE SAN MARTIN. Rent moderate. The Offices can be seen at any hour.
Apply for further particulars at the 'Standard' Office. —feb18

LOMAS DE ZAMORA.
FURNISHED APARTMENTS.
Mrs. HENRY
Has presently unoccupied in her Private Boarding House, Suits of Apartments for Families, also Rooms for Single Gentlemen, with Board and Attendance.
To supply a want long felt by visitors, Mrs. Henry has opened (apart from her private Boarding House) a first-class Dining Room, where Breakfasts, Luncheons, and Dinners will be served to suit the arrivals and departures of the Morning and Afternoon Trains.
Wines, Spirits, and Beer of the best quality.
The House is within one square of the Railway Station. 16,1m,6
SE ALQUILA la gran casa calle de Belgrano y el almacen perteneciente a la misma, Nos. 126 y 128, 17 piezas empapeladas, aljibe, gas en toda ella y pronta a ocuparla, tres patios con sus escelentes comodidades. En la calle Cangallo 99 daran razon. 10 m25
TO BE SOLD,
A Magnificent TRICHORD COLLARD and COLLARD PIANO,
Selected by Mr. L. J. Norton, at Collard and Collard's Manufactory. It is fitted with all improvements, and was made expressly to order.
To be seen at No. 72 Calle Mexico.
Also a French PIANO, by Debain.
248,14p,m25
TO LET,
SEVERAL FINE ROOMS, suitable for OFFICES, only three squares from the Plaza. Rent moderate.
74—CALLE BELGRANO—74
176,xp,m18
SOME Unfurnished, independent Rooms to Let, for Single Gentlemen, at the second story, left hand staircase, at 35 Calle Peru.
323,1m,a1
SE ALQUILA una pieza con muebles ó sin ellos para caballeros en casa de familia del pais.
Ocurrase Calle Defensa 258 en los altos.
325 3p a1
SALA Y ANTESALA, se alquila a persona decente, con muebles o sin ellos.
Calle Florida No. 183. 6p m31
TO LET, two nice large Furnished Bedrooms, suitable for a Single Gentleman, or a married Couple. No. 261 Calle Victoria.
306,6pm,30.
SE ALQUILAN dos hermosas piezas amuebladas a la calle; San Martin No. 238.
3pm31
UNFURNISHED ROOMS.
TO LET, in Calle Cangallo 213.
321,3pm31
HOUSE to LET, in Calle Mayo, corner of Corrientes, opposite the British Consulate, only one square from the Plaza Once Tramway and the very spot, of all others in the world, to make a rapid fortune in any business.
286,5p,m29
A LADY, highly accomplished, and who has had much experience in teaching, desires an engagement as GOVERNESS, at Buenos Ayres. Address Miss Stuart, No. 117 Killigrew-road, Falmouth, England. 260,15p,m20
HEAD NURSE—Wanted, a respectable, middle-aged Person, fully competent to take charge of young children. Good references required. Apply 'Nurse,' at the Office of the Standard. 313,3p,m31
MUCAMA, se necesita una, estrangera o del pais, que sepa planchar bien y presente, buenas recomendaciones de su conducta, y buen servicio. Calle Moreno No. 120.
312,6pm31.
LADY'S COMPANION.—A young Woman eighteen years of age, speaking the French, Spanish, and Italian languages, wishes to find employment as above, in a

# SAVINGS BANK
## BANK MAUA AND Co.
## 101--Cangallo--103
### BUENOS AYRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current we now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence.

The Bank of Mauá & Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depositary for their savings.

The sums deposited in that very important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.

These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lotteries, and other frivolities.

The Bank of Mauá & Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and has opened a Savings Bank at No 103 Calle Cangallo from Nine a.m. till Three p.m. every day, for the reception of the savings of the classes already mentioned, Sundays and holidays excepted.

The Bank will deliver to each depositors a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn.

The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited; in the former case the interes will be calculated up to date.

The Bank of Mauá & Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare.

The Bank of Mauá & Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighborhood.

Buenos Ayres, 2nd January, 1867.

P. P. Mauá & Co.,

M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

### CONDITIONS.

First—The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency or one Silver Dollar upwards.

Second—The interest allowed is six per cent. (6 p. %) per annum, which is liquidated every six months.

Third—The depositors can at any time retire the whole or part of the money deposited.

Fourth—Once the money deposited exceeds twenty-five thousand dollars currency, or one thousand dollars silver, the depositor, if he wishes can open an account current, according to the rules established by the Bank.

Fifth—In case the depositor loses his pass book it can be replaced by another on paying twelve dollars currency, and advertising the loss in the public newspapers.

P. P. Mauá & Co.

M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

# LONDON, BELGIUM, BRAZIL,
AND
# RIVER PLATE
# ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
[LIMITED.]

NAMES OF STEAMERS:—

CITY OF LIMERICK, | CITY OF RIO JANEIRO,
CITY OF BUENOS AYRES, | CITY OF BRUSSELS.

UNDER POSTAL CONTRACT WITH HER MAJESTY'S POST-MASTER-GENERAL AND THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT.

The CITY of RIO de JANEIRO will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 17th inst.
The CITY of BRUSSELS is the next Steamer expected.
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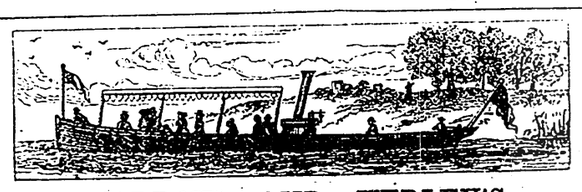

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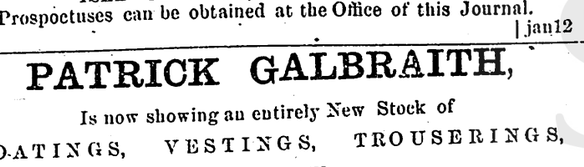

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By order of its Proprietor.

On WEDNESDAY, 13th of APRIL next, at One o'Clock, p.m, will be Sold for the highest Bid, under the following conditions:—One-third Cash, and the other two-thirds at one and two years, at 9 per cent. interest per annum.

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The Inventory is the most complete that can be required, and the vessel well suited for coasting and river navigation. She is ready to sail; and will be a great bargain.

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For further information apply to the Consulate of the Netherlands, No. 77 Tucuman.
302,xp,m30

## IMPORTANT AUCTIONS
BY
## DON GREGORIO RIVAS.

On Sunday, 3d of April, at Eleven a.m., Eleven Lots of Ground, to the N.W. of the City, the most rising part of the town.

# JAMES S. HILL and CO.,
42—CALLE DEFENSA—43
AND
Public Auctioneers, Custom House Brokers,
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198,xp,m20

## A. WILSON.

SHOULD this meet the eye of A. or M. Wilson, residing in Buenos Ayres, and writers of a letter addressed—

"Mrs. WILLIAM WINTON,
19 West Milton-street,
Cowcaddens,
Glasgow,"

Said to contain a Cheque for Six Pounds sterling, and which was found in the street during the days of Carnival, they are requested to communicate with the British Consulate in this City. FRANK PARISH.

British Consulate, Buenos Ayres, March 12, 1870. 126,3p,m15

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October 15th, 1870.

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A. DE ARENALES.
7,1m,m9

# SOUTH AMERICAN CURIOSITIES.

Gentlemen who are about to leave the country or those who may feel inclined to send a 'regalo' to the old folks at home, are respectfully invited to inspect Mr. Joseph Druillet's new stock of Patagonian Skins, consisting of over six hundred, (600) of the most beautiful Guanacos etc. etc.

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ANY information of the above-named, Mr. Perfect, where he has gone to, &c., will be gratefully received at Calle 25 de Agosto, Montevideo. 29 ,1p,m29

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Cash advanced on all kinds of Merchandize, Valuables, &c. Families leaving the Country will find it to their advantage by sending a letter to 57 Calle San Juan, or calling before 10 a. m. and after 5 p. m. 308,1m,m30.

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IN KILDERKINS
Of 18 Gallons,
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# DILIGENCIAS.

LAS DILIGENCIAS—COMERCIO DE LOS PUEBLOS

Para Chivilcoy, Bragado, 9 de Julio y Lonca-gue

Agencia Calle Victoria No. 598, frente a la Plaza de Lorea.

Sale todos los Domingos para los puntos indicados, las encomiendas se reciben hasta las cuatro de la tarde del dia de la vispera.

6p d11 LA EMPRESA.

AGENCIA DE MENSAGERIAS, DE
M. CABRERA (hermano)
257—PIEDAD—257.

Se despachan boletos de marca en el dia de muy lindas bases, y se recibe toda clase de comisiones.

## ITINEARIO
De las Diligencias que se despachan en esta Agencia.

Para Lobos, Martes y Sabados; regresa los Miercoles y Domingos—Al Saladillo, los Sabados, regresa los Miercoles.

Empresarios—
GARCIA y JAUNARENA.

LA NACIONAL, para la Capilla del señor y Zarate, sale todos los dias pares regresa los nones.

Empresarios—
GUILLERMON HNOS.

LA URUGUAYANA, para Navarro, sale todos los dias pares, regresa los nones.

Empresario—
P. DUFOUR.

EL COMERCIO, para el Monte, sale de la Estacion Jeppener los dias 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, y 29 de cada mes, regresa los 1, 6, 11, 16, 21 y 26.

Empresario—
E. VALDOVINOS

MENSAGERIAS NACIONALES, para Giles y San Antonio de Areco, sale todos los dias nones, regresa los pares. Para el Barradero, sale los dias 3, 9, 19, y 27 de cada mes, regresa los 6, 12, 22 y 30.

Empresario—
C. MERLINO.

CORREO DE CHACABUCO y JUNIN, sale de Chivilcoy todos los dias 5, 20, 25 y 30 de cada mes, regresa los 3, 8, 13, 18, 23 y 28.

Empresario—
B. TAVAREZ.

SALADILLO y GENERAL ALVEAR, todos os Miercoles para Chivilcoy, regresa los Sabados.

25 DE MAYO, sale los pares regresa los nones.

Empresario—
F. GARCIA.

NOTA—Carga y encomiendas se reciben en la Agencia, Piedad 257, hasta las 5 de la tarde en vispera de la salida, correspondencia, 10 de la noche.

PARA LAS FLORES Y AZUL—LA INVARIABLE PORTEÑA

Correo Nacional—Administracion calle de Rivadavia 441 y 443.

Quedan no salidas—desde el primero de Noviembre por el tren del Sud—Estacion Jeppener.

Para el Azul por el Puente Terrero, Castorina, Las Flores, Zotea de Portale, Posta de Genova, Silva, a el Azul.

Por el primer tren los dias—
3, 3, 13, 18, 23 y 28.

Sale del Azul los dias—
3, 8, 13, 18, 23 y 28

Nota—Los equipajes y encomiendas se reciben hasta las 2 de la tarde de la vispera.

Empresario—
Miguel M. Lupo.

PARA LAS FLORES Y AZUL—LA INVARIABLE PORTEÑA.

ADMINISTRACION RIVADAVI Nos. 441 y 443.

Se previene al publico que para mayor comodidad de los pasageros esta administracion ha resuelto que las galeras que salen para los puntos arriba indicados en los dias—

3, 8, 13, 18, 23 y 26,-salgan desde el 17 del corriente los dias—2, 7, 13, 17, 22 y 27

En el ultimo tren del Sud a dormir en la Estacion Jeppener.

Los equipajes y encomiendas solo se recibiran hasta las diez de la mañana del dia de salidas.

Las cartas y periodicos hasta las dos de la tade.

Empresario—
MIGUEL M. LUPO

Febrero 9 de 1870.

LA VARIABLE ARJENTINA—Para Lobos y Saladillo.

Para Lobos sale de Buenos Aires el—
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, de cada mes.

Sale de Lobos para Buenos Aires—
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29.

Para el Saladillo sale de Buenos Aires el—
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26 28 y 30.

Sale del Saladillo para Buenos Aires el—
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26 28 y 30.

Empresario—Rafael Saborido

Agencia en Buenos Aires Calle Rivadavia No. 239. Los salidas son de la estacion Merlo.

FLOR DEL OESTE, CORREO DEL ESTADO

Para el 25 de Mayo—El Empresario que firma hace saber que desde la fecha, seguirá su Diligencia para el 25 de Mayo, todos los dias siguientes:

Sale de Buenos Aires los
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25 27 y 29

de cada mes, por el primer tren de las 6 de la mañana hasta Chivilcoy, para llegar en el dia al 25.

Regresa todos los
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24 26, 28 y 30

por el tren que llega al Parque a las 8¼ de la noche

9 de Julio
1, 7, 13, 19, 25.

Regresa
6, 12, 18, 24, 30.

Agencia, Calle Rivadavia 239.
Empresario—Santiago Iralde.

MENSAGERIA PARA EL BRAGADO—Sale de Buenos Aires los dias
2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, de cada mes y—

Regresa los dias
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, del Bragado.

Ajencia en Buenos Aires Calle Rivadavia 239
Empresario y dueño—Mauricio del Vall

MENSAJERIA—Para el Carmen de Areco—Sale de Buenos Aires los dias
1, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 de cada mes y—

Regresa los dias
1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 23, 25, 27, 29 del Carmen de Areco.

Agencia en Buenos Aires Calle Rivadavia 239.
Empresario y dueño—Jorje Vallee.

PARA CANUELAS, MONTE, LAS FLORES Y TAPALQUE.

La Invariable Porteña, correo nacional—Administracion calle de Rivadavia 441 y 443.

Orden de salidas desde el 1° de Noviembre por el tren del Oeste, estacion Moron—Por el Pino, Cañuelas, Esquina Galvan, Monte, Posta, Escaleras, Las Flores, La Berbena, Las Tres Flores y a Tapalque.

Los dias—
10, 20 y 30

Sale de Tapalque por el mismo camino—
5, 15 y 25

Nota—Los equipajes y encomiendas se reciben hasta las 1 de la tarde de la vispera.

Empresario—
Miguel M. Lupo

LA ORIENTAL DEL SUD

Esta Diligencia ha cambiado su salida desde el 4° de Enero de 1870 del modo siguiente.

Saldrá de Buenos Aires para Dolores, Ajo y Pueblo General Lavalle, los dias 1, 11 y 20 de cada mes, y regresará para los mismos puntos los dias 6, 16 d 25.

POSTAS DEL TRANSITO.
José Migueles,
Manuel Balejos,
Casa de Negocio de D. Benito Tisoni.
Estancia de Pardo,
„ de Piedra,
„ de Nogoles,
„ de San Isidro,
„ Paterino.

El Carruaje para el Pueblo General Lavalle saldrá de la Casa de D. Benito Tisoni, por lo de D. Alejandro Laferrer y casa de negocio de D. Virgilio Yacdalé.

Administracion en Buenos Aires, Buen Orden, numeros 152, 154 y 156.

En Chascomus, Hotel de D. Pedro Marin.

En Dolores, Hotel de la Amistad, casa de D Pedro Luro.

| feb22 LA EMPRESA.

MENSAGERIAS

(Union Argentina.)

Para Salto, Rojas, y Junin, Sale de Chivilco los dias pares y Regresa los nones.

Empresario,
JOSE MORGANDO.
(LA PROTEJIDA.)

Para Navarro y Lobos sale de Mercedes los dias nones, y Regresa los pares.

Empresario,
NICOLAS ESCOBAR.
9—TACUARI—11
| oct9

AGENCIA YFERNET Y CIA

Comisiones Generales de Aduana.
LANCHAGE, LASTRE,
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STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY
ROSARIO & BUENOS AIRES.
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COMERCIO DEL ROSARIO,
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Stopping at all the Ports on the Passage, every
MONDAY & FRIDAY,
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The Packages and the Sealed Bags of Money will be received up to five o'clock p.m. the day before, in the Agent's Office,
54—Mayo—54
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MENSAGERIAS
La "Invariable Porteña"
Correo Nacional—Administracion Calle de Moreno No. 293.

Orden de las salidas desde el 1° de Abril.

Al Tandil directamente en el ultimo tren del Sudo Chascomus por el Paso del Venado, Juzgado de Rauch, Loma, Partida de Vela, y el Carmen de Langiyu todos los Sabados y regresa del Tandil los Miercoles.

Para Las Flores, Azul y Juares por el ultimo tren del Sud, estacion Jeppener, Puente Terrero, Las Flores, Zotea de Portale, Azul, Los Huesos, Casa de Turno, los dias 7, 17 y 27.

Regresa de Juarez para Buenos Aires los dias 3, 13 y 23.

Para Las Flores, Azul y Tandil por la estacion Jeppener, Puente Terrero, Las Flores, Zotea de Portale, Azul, Casa de Turne. Estancia de Gomez en Chapalcofú los dias 2, 12 y 22.

Regresa del Tandil por el Azul a Buenos Aires los dias 8, 18 y 28 por el primer tren del Oeste, estacion Moron.

Cañuelas, Esquina de Galvan, Monte, escaleras Las Flores y Tapalque los dias
10, 20 y 30.

Regresa de Tapalque los dias
5, 13 y 25.

NOTA—Los equipages y encomiendras se reciben hasta las doce del dia de la salida por el tren del Sud, y hasta las 4 de la tarde de la vispera del Oeste.

Empresario—
Miguel M. Lupo.

## LETTERS.
AT THIS OFFICE.

John Longley, Henry Roach, B. Barry, Patrick or Martin Mchenny, Sr. Antonio Basse Henry Brain, John Wood Reed, A. Hilton Rosa Dalton, S. Dunne, William Galloway Miss Gridley, John Hellier, J. Stewart, Pat. Begg, John Frayne, Henry Wrixon Beechers Thomas Conroy, Thos. Murtagh, W. C. Moore Thomas Bertram, William Andrew Murphy, James Filan, John Reidy, Edward Dillon, William Years, Michael T. Irwin, T. Reath, George Buckels, John Kelly, B. M'Cadden, Captain R. S. Culver, Mr. James Coughlin, G. E. Cox, Charles Kelly, L. Morun, Morgan Farrell, Edward M'Guire, William Reynolds, John Burn, James Whiling, Frederick Stella Seattle 2, Benjamin C Smith, Mary Anne Bassonet, Denis Doyle, Hubert M'Grath, William M'Nally, Patrick Higgins.

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R. Deney, Thomas Ledwith, J. W, Longley, Peter H. Longley.

Robert Marshall, Robert Doyle, G. Henderson, Captain Forbes, Pedro Morgan.

Jas. P. Pefers, J. L. Simpson, Captain W. J Watson, Captain Wheelen, W. Humphrey, J. Graham, P. Gardnier, J. Griffon, P. Green, D. Geoghan, J. Geoghan.

J. Allen, Jorge Antonio, Patrick Burgess, J Bowland, Dr. Baily, J. Bollasty, Francis Brady, — Black, A. Bischiff, Robert Boyd, James Bell, Juan Brabazon, W. Bendez, Richard Bolton, R. Bennett, Captain Beveridge, Baron, Browning, M. Bolado, Clayton Calder, John Bourdman, Frederick Bowels, William Buish, John Conynghum, Thomas Cormick, Thomas Clavin, Emilio Capdeville, Clarke Baltzar Codd, Richard Cromwell, Hugo, Mrs Donohoe.

W. R. Garden 2, Edward Hurley, H. Flood, James Machen, Thomas, Reeves, Edmund Dillon.

## LETTERS AT NO. 48 CALLE RECONQUISTA.

James Joseph Allen, Bridget Allen, Michael Brennan, John Brown, John Bran, Bernard Burns, John F Brown, Thomas Brady, James Briody, Catherine Bohan, Amelia Boyle, Mrs John Brien, Mrs Thomas Birmingham, Mrs Patrick Burke, Michael Clarke, J Culligan, M Curian, P Corrican, John Cone, James Carberry, Thomas Clavin, William Clear, Luke Crowe, Thomas Carney 2, James Coghlan, Ricardo Clemens, Mrs. James Cuffe, Anno Creevy, Anne Casey, T and J Culligan, Thomas Dinman, James Dowd, Patrick Dowdel, Patrick Drum, John Delaney, Michael Donlan, Elizabeth Dillon, Mary Anne Duffey, Thomas Duffy, Catherine Duffy, Bridget Daley, Rose Doherty.

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## MONTEVIDEAN POST OFFICE

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| Beard J, | Dix E E, |
| Bruce Thomas, | Ellis Nathem D, |
| Bishop Albert, | Estevan Hos, |
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## LETTERS.
AT BARRY AND WALKER'S.
(Address unknown.)

Mrs. Anne Bracken,
Joseph Aires,
John Barry,
Edward Cormac,
Miss Catherine Donohoe,
William Dailey (blacksmith),
John Furlong, at Seery's,
Luke Maguire,
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Daniel Wauchob,
James Yourelle. feb12

## LETTERS UNCALLED FOR
AT THE
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113—CALLE RECONQUISTA, Altos—113

A B Anderson, captain of the brig Lola.
J W Bache, captain of the brig Proteus.
Conrad Berth.
Thorwald Bonsoe, captain of the schooner Fides.
A Christenson, captain of the barque Miné Freiderick a.
C Christiansen, captain of the barque Bendixen:
P J Ferchen, Jens Walff.
G. Furst.
E A Gad, mate of the brig St. Thomas.
F Goltermann, passenger per the barque George Nicolas.
C Hansen, captain of the schooner Familia, 3.
L Hillestrom, mate of the brig Gefion.
H H Hoffmann, carpenter of the ship California.
Peter N C Holten.
Peter C F Holten.
D Honman, sailor of the barque Pysche.
J C Jensen, sailor of the brig Courier.
S. Jansen, sailor of the schooner Frederik 3.
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Franz H Ading.
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Christian Petersen.
M E Petersen.
S Christian Petersen, schooner Familia.
Heinrich Pfeiffer, brig Andreas.
R Rashange, mate of the brig Caroline.
H W Reimers, Jens Walff, 2.
Alfred M. Reine, barque Clara.
F Schon, schooner Frederik.
C Schon, mate of the schooner Anna Maria.
N Forme, captain of the brig Gefion.
H A T Thomsen, captain of the schooner Courier.
T Tiemann, mate of the schooner Pfeil.
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| " Cañada de Gomez, | 8 35 | |
| " Tortugas, | 10 05 | |
| " Leones, | 11 40 | |
| " Belville ar. | 1 0 | P.M. |
| " Do. dep. | 1 40 | |
| " Ballesteros, | 2 35 | |
| " Villa Maria, | 3 45 | |
| " Chañares | 4 55 | |
| " Laguna Larga | 6 50 | |
| " Rio Segundo | 7 35 | |
| " Rio Segundo | 7 26 | A.M. |
| " Laguna Larga | 8 10 | |
| " Chañares | 10 05 | |
| " Villa Maria, | 11 20 | |
| " Ballesteros | 12 25 | P.M. |
| " Belville ar. | 1 30 | |
| " Do dep. | 2 10 | |
| " Leones, | 3 20 | |
| " Tortugas, | 4 55 | |
| " Cañada de Gomez, | 6 25 | |
| " Carcaranal | 7 10 | |
| " Roldan, | 8 20 | |
| " Rosario, | 9 15 | |

Rosario, March 8, 1870.
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